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MESSAGE REACHES CONGRESS TODAY

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SESSION DOWN TO BUSINESS

Washington, Dec. 4.—President Roosevelt's message was received by both houses of congress in session at noon today. The message is voluminous and covers every matter of public business likely to come to the attention of congress. Most of the salient features have been mentioned before.

Nominations Made.

Seven cabinet changes and one appointment to the supreme court bench were sent to the senate by President Roosevelt, but they are not confirmed immediately, in accordance with the general custom concerning such important nominations. It is said that there is no opposition to the appointments and to the nomination of Attorney-General William H. Moody to be associate justice of the supreme court.

The important nominations follow Secretary of the Treasury—George B. Cortelyou.

Attorney-General—Chas. J. Bonaparte.

Postmaster-General—George L. Von Meyer.

Secretary of the Navy—Victor H. Metcalf.

Secretary of the Interior—James R. Garfield.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Oscar S. Strause.

Associate Justice Supreme Court—William H. Moody.

Oscar R. Handley, of Alabama, to be United States attorney for the northern district of Alabama.

Civil Service Commissioner—John A. Mellenny, of Louisiana.

Interstate Commerce Commissioners—Edgar E. Clark, of Iowa; James S. Harland, of Illinois; Judson C. Clements, of Georgia.

Officials of the United States Court for China—Judge, L. R. Willey, of Missouri; district attorney, Arthur Bassett, of Missouri; marshal, O. R. Leonard, of Michigan; clerk, E. E. Hinkley, of California.

Minister to Panama—Herbert C. Squiers, of New York.

Secretaries of Embassies—Spencer F. Eddy, of Illinois, at Berlin; T. P. Dodge, of Massachusetts, at Tokio.

Second Secretaries of Embassies—G. P. Wheelock, of Washington, at Tokio; Paxton Hibben, of Indiana, at Mexico.

Consul-General—William P. Kent, of Virginia, at Guatemala.

Consuls—George A. Bucklin, Jr., of Oklahoma, at Glouchester, Saxony; A. W. Brickwood, Jr., of Arizona, at Puerto Cortes, Honduras; J. G. Carter, of Georgia, at Tamatave, Madagascar; H. L. Harris, of Illinois, at Smyrna; W. L. Lowrie, of Illinois, at Weimar, Germany.

Circuit Judge Third Judicial District—Joseph Buffington of Pennsylvania.

United States Attorney—John Embury of Oklahoma; O. R. Handley, Northern district of Alabama.

Marshal—C. C. Dason, Western district of Louisiana.

Receiver of Public Moneys—A. N. Kennedy, at New Orleans.

Collector of Customs—Henry McCall, New Orleans.

Supervising Inspector of Steam Vessels, Fourth District—J. J. Dunn, Kentucky.

Paymaster-General of the Navy and Chief Bureau of Supplies and Accounts—Eustace B. Rogers.

Postmasters—Alabama—W. J. Leppert, Camden, Arkansas—Tillie J. Bruce, Piggott; J. A. Harper, Rector, New Mexico—At Breeding, Mexico, Tennessee—W. J. Wells, London, Texas—A. C. Nagus, Mesquite; D. Herbert, Commerce; C. F. Smith, Kerens; G. A. Panowitz, Shiner.

The President's Message.

President Roosevelt in his annual message again urges the enactment of

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Earthquake Reported.
London, Dec. 4.—A severe earthquake is reported to have occurred at Milazzo, on the north coast of Sicily, today. As yet no casualties have been reported.

NEW GUN CLUB

Will Be Organized to Use Fair Ground Range.

Since all interest has died out among the members of the Paducah Rifle and Revolver club, a movement has been set afoot to organize a club with members not confined entirely to railroad men, and Mr. Fred McCreary is the promoter. He will start immediately to organize and hopes to get fully 150 members. The range of the Paducah Rifle and Revolver club at the fair grounds has been placed at his disposal and he hopes to organize and hold the first shoot before the year is out.

LODGES

ELECT OFFICERS AT REGULAR MEETINGS FOR YEAR.

The Modern Woodmen and Catholic Knights and Ladies of America Have Chosen.

Paducah camp No. 11,313, Modern Woodmen of America, elected officers last evening for the ensuing year. They are: A. J. Bamberg, consul; Dr. W. R. Washburn, advisor; T. E. Ford, banker; J. H. Fritz, clerk; Coleman Boyd, escort; Harry Uhles, watchman; E. E. Schaeffer, sentry; Dr. W. R. Washburn and J. C. Freeland, physicians; J. P. Maloney and A. Milburn, managers. The installation will be held on December 17.

Catholic Knights Elect.

The Catholic Knights and Ladies of America elected officers last night as follows: Henry Schneider, president; Mrs. Mattie Roberts, vice president; Mrs. Katie Lydon, recording secretary; Mrs. Maggie McCreary, financial secretary; John J. Dorlan, treasurer; Mrs. A. Yopp, trustee, for three years.

In the Same Grave.

Newark, O., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Harry Radebaugh, of this city, who, with her husband, was struck by a freight train Saturday night, died today. Mr. and Mrs. Radebaugh will be buried in the same grave at Cedar Hill Tuesday.

SOCIAL SESSION

WILL FOLLOW DEDICATION OF ELKS' HOME THURSDAY.

Ceremonies Will Conform to Ritual and Will Last Two Hours From 4 to 6.

Final details of the dedication of the new Elks' Home will be completed tonight by the committee on dedication. At that meeting a program for the social to follow the exercises will be arranged. The dedication exercises will be conducted according to the lodge ritual. At both the dedication and the social only lodge members will attend. It will take place Thursday afternoon and evening, the ceremonies beginning at 4 o'clock and lasting until 6 o'clock. This will be followed by a social evening, refreshments, cigars and other features being included in the program. Among the out of town members of the Paducah B. P. O. Elks, who will attend the dedication, are Dr. C. E. Whitesides, Nashville, Tenn.; L. A. Lagomarsino, Sheffield, Ala.; and J. E. English, Birmingham, Ala.

SPARK

From Laborer's Candle Dropped Into Can of Powder.

New York, Dec. 24.—A spark from a candle carried by a laborer dropped into a can of giant powder and caused an explosion among workmen in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel under the East river tonight. Three men were killed outright, one fatally and 12 others slightly injured. The damage to the works was small.

Plans Home in Paris.

New York, Dec. 4.—So sure is Mrs. Harry K. Thaw of the acquittal of her husband at his forthcoming trial for the murder of Stanford White that she is already negotiating for the purchase of a house in Paris, where the Thaws will take up a permanent residence.

PIPE FOR COACH OF HIGH SCHOOL

In Recognition of His Good Work This Season

Basket Ball Ordered and Three Teams Will Compete for Local Honors.

GIRLS WILL ORGANIZE, TOO.

In recognition of his excellent services as coach, the Paducah High school football team, champions of western Kentucky, will this afternoon present Rescoe Reed, son of Circuit Judge W. M. Reed, with a handsome meerschaum pipe. The decision was reached at a meeting of the High School Athletic association held yesterday afternoon.

This afternoon, after dismissal of school, Joe Cook, of the firm of Rife & Cook, will take a photograph of the football team. The coach will be in the line. Captain Felix St. John will present the pipe.

Basketball Team.

While no basketball team was organized among the High school boys yesterday afternoon, preliminary steps towards organization were taken and a fine Spaulding basketball ordered. As soon as it arrives the boys will compete for team membership. The idea is to organize at least three teams. These teams will compete for championship of the school. When outside teams are played the best in the three teams will be selected to represent the school.

The girls of the High school will organize and practice when the basketball arrives. Last year the girls' High school basketball team defeated Cairo and challenges will be issued to the sister city again this season.

Has Good Bond.

Albert Gary, rural mail carrier, of Mayfield, indicted at the November term of federal court for holding out \$10 too long, is in the city today. Among the prominent Mayfield men on his bond are: W. S. Lockridge, J. W. Ridgeway, B. S. Bowden, J. H. Williams and W. E. Norman. He has with him power of attorney from those he will offer as a bond.

Home After Many Years.

Robert B. Smith, formerly of Mayfield, and former governor of Montana, is the guest of Attorney Hal S. Corbett, of this city. He is en route home to Mayfield after an absence of many years. Last night his brother-in-law, Attorney Sam Crossland, of Mayfield, came to Paducah to meet him.

Perseverance Rewarded.
By perseverance Patrolman Thad Terrell and James Brennan arrested Ed Williams, colored, this morning. The negro is charged with malicious cutting and had been dodging the police since Saturday night. The prisoner cut Ed Burress, colored, in the head and on the left arm.

Child-Slayer Unbalanced.
Lexington, Ky., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Etta Griffith, 19 years old, is confined in the county jail under conviction of the murder of her 15-month-old child last summer. She was judged of unsound mind today and sent to the Eastern Kentucky Insane asylum.

Politician a Forger.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 4.—J. S. Murphy, of Minot, N. D., charged with forging county road warrants, was convicted today. Murphy had been a leader in politics in this state for a score of years, until defeated in his own county two years ago.

Terry McGovern Insane.

New York, Dec. 4.—Terry McGovern, former champion lightweight of the world, became suddenly crazed in the neighborhood Home today. He had a big loaded shell in his pocket. McGovern was taken to the Flat Bush asylum for the insane.

There is only one kind of a newspaper circulation statement that is worth any consideration and that is the daily detailed statement. The Sun is the only Paducah paper printing such a statement.

SPECIAL POLICEMEN TO GUARD WAREHOUSES FROM INCENDIARIES.

Taking warning from the outrage at Princeton Saturday, Mayor Yeiser last night called to the attention of the council the fact that there have been rumors of attacks on the independent and trust warehouses in Paducah. Acting on his suggestion the board of councilmen authorized the appointment of three special policemen to guard the warehouses under the direction of the chief of police. The police department also is taking special precautions to handle a mob if it should come, or to prevent an incendiary firing the warehouses by stealth. The department is in good shape. There is little fear of mob violence in Paducah. This city has a bad reputation among the class of people that composes mobs, and there seems to be no violent feelings in this county.

BYRD MAY FIGHT TO RETAIN SEAT

One Term Expires Before The Other Begins

Albert Metcalf Elected to Fill Vacancy on School Board Until January.

ONLY DISTURBING ELEMENT

There is only one probable ripple on the surface of the school board meeting tonight. It may come up in regard to a member from the Fifth ward.

At the election in November, Mr. Albert Metcalf was elected to fill out the unexpired term of W. T. Byrd, also from the Fifth ward. Mr. Byrd was elected to the school board last year but was disqualified from service by holding another position. Then the school board re-elected him to fill out his own unexpired term, until the next election in November.

Mr. Metcalf was chosen last month and will be seated tonight. Mr. Byrd was elected for the long term also last month but his term does not begin until January 1. Hence he will retire from his old office tonight, and re-enter the board next month. It is said that Mr. Byrd will contest the seating of Mr. Metcalf tonight, for only one month and there is where the rub may come.

ASKS DAMAGES

AS SOON AS HE IS ACQUITTED BY COURT.

J. E. English Sues Baltimore Concern for \$100,000 for Malicious Prosecution.

J. E. English, the commission broker, was acquitted this afternoon of the charge of converting \$1,500 to his own use, and immediately after the verdict entered suit for \$100,000 damages against his prosecutors. English was in the brokerage business here. During 1905 a car of merchandise was shipped to English by William Numsen & Sons company, of Baltimore. It was wrecked and the Illinois Central paid English the value. The firm alleged the money belonged to it while English claimed it belonged to him. The indictment followed. The court instructed the jury to find for the defendant as Numsen & Sons company failed to show that the money did not belong to English.

Bandits Fail in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—A daring attempt by a trio of bank burglars to loot the vaults of the Prairie State bank was foiled today by the watchman. Following the futile raid two armed holdup men made a raid on the Western avenue Metropolitan elevated station. They were put to flight by shots from the station agent's revolver.

A one-sided affair is all right if it happens to be a bright side.

WILL GET RID OF BAD CHARACTERS

All Must Leave North Side of City, Say Residents

Detectives Will Be Employed to Expel Landlords Who Rent to Them.

SOME VISITING POOR FARM.

"Our tramp card has not been played yet, but from all appearances it will not be necessary to play it," said a citizen from the First ward this morning, speaking of their opposition to the invasion by the women from the red light district.

"Not only those few women who did move into our wards, have moved out, but it seems that some characters who already were there are preparing to go."

"The last act I mentioned, in our opposition to having our wards invaded by disreputable persons, will be to employ detectives to secure evidence of immoral practices, on the strength of which we can get after those landlords who rent houses to bawdy women. Already one detective has offered to undertake the work and secure indisputable evidence for legal proceedings. The more we get into this work of house cleaning, the more we find to do."

Outlawed by an aroused public sentiment, some of the older women from Kentucky avenue, have visited the new poor house, with the object, as they expressed, of securing a home. Some of these women trudged all the way, two miles, to the poor house and back. Whether they are seeking a country home with the simple life in view, or whether they are in earnest in their explanation of securing quarters in the poor house, remains to be seen.

THAW CASE CONTINUED.

Testimony of Witnesses in California Needed.

New York, Dec. 4.—A motion of counsel for Harry K. Thaw that a commission be appointed to take the testimony of witnesses out of the state was granted by Judge Newburger in the supreme court. The motion was made by Thaw's counsel, who named the witnesses, both of whom he said are in California.

District Attorney Jerome told Justice Newburger he had no objection to the appointment of a committee to take the testimony providing it be allowed to take the testimony of witnesses for the prosecution who are outside the state. Mr. Jerome said he wanted the testimony of the mother, brother and sister of the defendant's wife and possibly that of a witness who is now in South Africa.

BOAR CHARGES KING.

Carlos I and Crown Prince of Portugal's Escape.

Lisbon, Dec. 4.—King Carlos I and the crown prince of Portugal while engaged in a boar hunt today had a narrow escape from death, when a wild boar charged the hunting party. The hunters fled. Carlos' horse fell and was killed. The king escaped unhurt. The crown prince's horse became frantic at the boars. Count Demolinera and Marquis Defererav were badly hurt. Three beaters were killed.

Aid to Anti-Child Labor Law.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Senator Beveridge tomorrow will introduce a bill in the senate to prohibit carriers of interstate commerce from transporting or accepting for transportation products from factories and mines which employ children under 14 years old.

Memorial to John Hay.

A handsome memorial window to the late John Hay, secretary of state, was unveiled yesterday at Keneseth Israel Temple, Philadelphia, erected by the Jews of that city.

WEATHER—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Slightly warmer tonight and in east portion Wednesday. The highest temperature reached yesterday was 56 and the lowest today was 35.

BEATS WIFE AT CARDS; IS SHOT.

Friendly Family Game Ends in Woman Shooting Her Husband.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 4.—Because he intimated that his wife was not an adept at the game of seven-up, Henry Smith, a laborer, is in the hospital, while his wife is in jail charged with an assault with intent to commit murder. Smith, his wife and two neighbors were playing cards. When he told her that she had lost she became enraged, and, seizing a revolver, fired two shots, one of which took effect in her husband's leg, while the other bullet struck him in the head and narrowly missed ending his life.

TRAIN ROBBERS

GET \$110,000 FROM EXPRESS AND WOUND MESSENGER.

Lone Bandit and Passenger Wrestle on Santa Fe Train—Gets No Booty.

Palestine, Tex., Dec. 24.—It is stated the \$110,000 was secured Saturday night by train robbers, who held up the Cotton Belt train near Elyan siding. Pacific express officials refuse to give out information. The messenger is in an unconscious condition in a Texarkana hospital and cannot recover.

Robber Needed a Hat.

Kansas City, Dec. 24.—An unknown robber attempted to hold up an Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe train at Holliday, Kansas, fifteen miles west of here, last night. Chas. Ward Purcell, who grappled with the man, was shot twice in the left leg, the bone being broken. The robber escaped but lost his hat. Ward took a revolver from the robber. The robber returned to the train ten minutes later and forced Bert Woods, of Newkirk, Okla., to give him his hat. He then left the train and disappeared without booty.

Big Pasture to Be Sold.

Half a million acres of government lands will be offered to the highest bidder today. The tract is in Oklahoma and is known as the "Big Pasture."

LOOP THE LOOP

CARS GO AROUND BLOCK BETWEEN THIRD AND FOURTH.

Traction Company Plans Are Reaching Consummation and Today Change Is Effected.

Today for the first time cars began "looping the loop" regularly, and when the double track work on Broadway, between Fourth and Fifth streets is completed the schedules will be definitely arranged and the traction company will be enabled to show what it can do in the way of maintaining a schedule.

The "loop" is between Broadway and Kentucky avenue, Third and Fourth streets, and all cars today except those on the Broadway and the Rowlandtown lines were sent around it. This eliminates the changing of trolleys and precludes the possibility of a "blockade. The Third street car comes in on Third street at Broadway, runs to Fourth street and around to Third via Kentucky avenue. Sixth street cars and other lines go in at Fourth street and Broadway and make the loop to Third street and Broadway. The Rowlandtown car stops at Fourth street and Broadway and the Broadway line cars go to the river.

This is the idea the traction company had when it began laying numerous switches, all of which are completed except on Tennessee street between Tenth and Eleventh streets. Foreman Kirby is pushing work on this job and will have it completed this week.

Fireman Killed in Wreck.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Dec. 4.—A head on collision between Chesapeake and Ohio freight trains here this morning wrecked both engines, piled up five cars, killed one man and injured three. The wreck resulted from a mistake in orders. Fireman George Sheehan of Owingsville, was caught between the engine and tender.

MAYOR IS READY TO CALL SESSION

When The Council Is Ready To Elect Officers

Changes Proposed in City Physician, Market Master and City Weigh Master.

ORGANIZATION OF THE BOARDS.

Mayor Yeiser has informed the general council that whenever the members request he will call a joint session for the purpose of electing a market master, wharf master, weigh master sewer inspector, license inspector and city physician and stock policeman.

"Usually I exercise by own discretion about the proper time to hold this election," he said, "but since the boards differ from the administration politically, I thought it expedient to permit them to choose their own time. The only qualifications I place on the date is that the meeting must be some time in the early part of the month. It should not be delayed until the last moment and then hurried through."

The members of the boards probably will signify this week when it will be convenient to hold the election. It is likely that a complete change will be made in all the offices except that of license inspector, wharf master, sewer inspector and stock policeman, an office that will be made permanent this month, it is believed.

The most talked-of candidates for the different positions are:

City physician—Dr. Harry Williams.

License inspector—George Lehnhard.

Sewer inspector—C. Bundesman.

Market master—Charles Bell.

Weigh master—Frank Dunn.

Wharf master—Frank Brown.

Dr. W. J. Bass will retire as city physician; Frank Smedley as market master; R. H. McGuire as weigh master.

Tie in Aldermen.

On account of the tie in the board of aldermen in January it is possible that lots may have to be cast to decide between Democratic and Republican nominees. Alderman-elect Ed Hannan is mentioned as the probable Democratic nominee and Alderman Earl Palmer for the Republicans.

In the lower board Al Foreman is slated for the chair.

RIOTING IN MADRID.

Follows Resignation of Cabinet Recently Appointed.

Madrid, Dec. 4.—This city is on the verge of a riot as the result of the latest cabinet crisis. The new ministry appointed last week was forced to resign yesterday. Rioting followed as soon as the act became known. Both church and Moroccan questions have greatly agitated the populace of late. More serious trouble is expected.

LOEB PROPERTY

Sold to Messrs. Friedman, Keller and Max Nahn.

Joseph L. Friedman, John W. Keller and Max Nahn have purchased the Loeb property at Fifth street and Broadway. The announcement of the sale of the property was made last week, but the purchasers names were not given out until today, when the deed was filed for record with the county clerk.

Pope May Leave Vatican.

Rome, Dec. 4.—The state railroad department has received orders to reconstruct the pope's railroad carriage. This car has not been used since 1870. It is a special carriage with gilded angels at the four corners. In each side there is a portable altar, and the upholstery is of white velvet. This news is commented upon with much interest, and people are wondering if it means that the pope is about to leave the vatican.

Tack Causes Death.

An ordinary carpet tack caused the death of Mrs. Thomas Boyd, of Eddyville, last week. She swallowed the tack in July and became ill shortly after. Physicians were unable to do anything for her and she grew slowly worse until death came Friday. She was buried Saturday. She was nursed by Miss Lena Henneberger, of this city.

KENTUCKY PAYS UNCLE SAM WELL

Furnishes One-Tenth The Internal Revenue.

Illinois, New York and Indiana Only Lead Commonwealth—Some Statistics.

MONEY TO BE SPENT IN STATE

Washington, Dec. 4.—Kentucky furnished 10 per cent. of the total internal revenue collections of the United States government in the fiscal year 1906, which ended on June 30 last. Only three states, Illinois, New York and Indiana excelled her as a revenue producer. The collectors of the old commonwealth turned into the federal treasury the enormous sum of \$24,469,083.68, the aggregate for the country being \$249,102,733. Kentucky stood second in this production of distilled spirits, furnishing 29,645,335 gallons out of a total for the United States of 159,110,197 gallons.

More money was expended in Kentucky during this year in the detection of internal revenue frauds than in any other state, the same being \$10,938.85; the total spent under this head in the country was \$94,280.

Twenty-five registered distilleries were seized in this state, 101 illicit stills seized and 118 illicit distilleries seized and destroyed. The arrests numbered 58; and the amount of spirits seized reached 17,082 gallons; the value of the property seized was \$24,013.20, and the taxes and penalties unpaid were \$56,115.25.

Money for Kentucky.

The treasury department estimates submitted to congress today as a basis of appropriations for the next fiscal year, provided for the following for Kentucky: continuation of erecting public building at Bowling Green \$25,000; completion of building at Lebanon, \$10,000; continuation of building at London, \$20,000; also appropriations for continuing Kentucky buildings as follows: Mayfield, \$15,000; Owensboro, \$5,000; Versailles, \$13,000; Winchester, \$15,000; also the following: for improving falls of Ohio river at Louisville, \$25,000; for improving the Kentucky river in Kentucky, \$174,000.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Palmer—R. W. Morris, St. Louis; H. M. Finley, Muncie, Ind.; L. Schroder, Cincinnati; E. L. Anderson, Cincinnati; W. A. Johnston, Hickman; E. B. Hamblett, Memphis; W. J. Powers, St. Louis; S. H. Crossland, Mayfield; Ed Reed, Smithland; T. A. Lancaster, Lexington, Tenn.; M. C. Jackson, Nashville; J. G. Henry, Louisville; W. H. Renfro, Indianapolis; Chas. Patton, Atlanta; F. B. Blackmond, Dowagiac, Mich.; J. H. Wiley New York.

Belvedere—J. M. Honningford, Cincinnati; F. J. Malone, Cairo, Ill.; J. H. Pfeifer, Cincinnati; H. E. Cose-shak, Chicago; W. A. Kelly, Cincinnati; C. E. Clark, Evansville, Ind.; J. P. Hawkins, Nashville; E. Murphy, Louisville; J. M. Martin, Philadelphia.

While the Germans are paying more and more attention to the English language there is a decline of German as a school subject in England.

—Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

Each stroke of a man's heart occupies about half a second, but the heart rests after each stroke, so that it only makes seventy a minute.

—Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

No bird can fly backward. The dragon fly, besides outstripping the swiftest bird, flies backward with ease.

—Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

—If you have just a dollar to spend for Christmas for a young lady friend, come see the two quires monogram paper The Sun sells for the price.

—Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. R. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

MESSAGE REACHES CONGRESS TODAY

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a law prohibiting corporations from contributing to campaign funds. He also urges the passage of the measure conferring upon the government the right of appeal in criminal cases on questions of law. Continuing, the president says:

I cannot too strongly urge the passage of the bill in question. A failure to pass it will result in seriously hampering the government in its effort to obtain justice, especially against wealthy individuals or corporations who do wrong, and may also prevent the government from obtaining justice for wage-workers who are not themselves able effectively to contest a case where the judgment of an inferior court has been against them. I have specifically in view a recent decision by a district judge leaving railway employees without remedy for violation of a certain so-called labor statute. The importance of enacting into law the particular bill in question is further increased by the fact that the government has now definitely begun a policy of resorting to the criminal law in those trust and interstate commerce cases where such a course offers a reasonable chance of success.

Proper Use of Injunctions.

In my last message I suggested the enactment of a law in connection with the issuance of injunctions, attention having been sharply drawn to the matter by the demand that the right of applying injunctions in labor cases should be wholly abolished. It is at least doubtful whether a law abolishing altogether the use of injunctions in such cases would stand the test of the courts, in which case, of course, the legislation would be ineffective. Moreover, I believe it would be wrong altogether to prohibit the use of injunctions. It is criminal to permit sympathy for criminals to weaken our hands in upholding the law, and if men seek to destroy life or property by mob violence there should be no impairment of the power of the courts to deal with them in the most summary and effective way possible. But so far as possible the abuse of the power should be provided against by some such law as I advocated last year.

Against Lynching.

I call your attention and the attention of the nation to the prevalence of crime among us and, above all, to the epidemic of lynching and mob violence that springs up now in one part of our country, now in another. Each section, north, south, east or west, has its own faults. No section can with wisdom spend its time jeering at the faults of another section. It should be busy trying to amend its own shortcomings. To deal with the crime of corruption it is necessary to have an awakened public conscience and to supplement this by whatever legislation will add speed and certainty in the execution of the law. When we deal with lynching even more is necessary. A great many white men are lynched, but the crime is peculiarly frequent in respect to black men. The greatest existing cause of lynching is the perpetration, especially by black men, of the hideous crime of rape, the most abominable in all the category of crimes, even worse than murder.

Lawlessness grows by what it feeds upon, and when mobs begin to lynch for rape they speedily extend the sphere of their operations and lynch for many other kinds of crimes, so that two-thirds of the lynchings are not for rape at all, while a considerable proportion of the individuals lynched are innocent of all crime.

There is but one safe rule in dealing with black men as with white men.

It is the same rule that must be applied in dealing with rich men and poor men—that is, to treat each man, whatever his color, his creed or his social position, with even handed justice on his real worth as a man. White people owe it quite as much to themselves as to the colored race to treat well the colored man who shows by his life that he deserves such treatment.

There is no question of social equality or negro domination involved.

In my judgment, the crime of rape should always be punished with death, as is the case with murder. Assault with intent to commit rape should be made a capital crime, at least in the discretion of the court, and provision should be made by which the punishment may follow immediately upon the heels of the offense.

No more shortsighted policy can be imagined than in the fancied interest of one class to prevent the education of another class. The white man, if he is wise, will decline to allow the negroes in a mass to grow to manhood and womanhood without education.

"Preachers of Mere Discontent."

In dealing with both labor and capital, with the questions affecting both corporations and trades unions, there is one matter more important to remember than ought else, and that is the infinite harm done by preachers of mere discontent. These are the men who seek to excite a violent class hatred against all men of wealth. They seek to turn wise and proper movements for the better control of corporations and for doing away with the abuses connected with wealth into a campaign of hysterical excitement and falsehood in which the aim is to inflame to madness the brutal passions of mankind. The sinister demagogues and foolish visionaries who are always eager to undertake such a campaign of destruction sometimes seek to associate themselves with those working for a genuine reform in governmental and social methods and sometimes masquerade as such reformers. In reality they are the worst enemies of the cause they profess to advocate, just as the purveyors of sensational slander in

newspaper or magazine are the worst enemies of all men who are engaged in an honest effort to better what is bad in our social and governmental conditions.

Corruption is never so rife as in communities where the demagogue and the agitator bear full sway, because in such communities all moral bands become loosened, and hysteria and sensationalism replace the spirit of sound judgment and fair dealing as between man and man. In sheer revolt against the squalid anarchy thus produced men are sure in the end to turn toward any leader who can restore order, and then their relief at being free from the intolerable burdens of class hatred, violence and demagoguery is such that they cannot for some time be aroused to indignation against misdeeds by men of wealth, so that they permit a new growth of the very abuses which were in part responsible for the original outbreak. The one hope for success for our people lies in a resolute and fearless but sane and cool headed advance along the path marked out last year by this very congress. There must be a stern refusal to be misled into following either that base creature who appeals and panders to the lowest instincts and passions in order to arouse one set of Americans against their fellows or that other creature, equally base, but no baser, who in a spirit of greed or to accumulate or add to an already huge fortune seeks to exploit his fellow Americans with callous disregard to their welfare of soul and body. The man who debauches others in order to obtain a high office stands on an evil equality of corruption with the man who debauches others for financial profit, and when hatred is sown the crop which springs up can only be evil.

The plain people who think—the mechanics, farmers, merchants, workers with head or hand, the men to whom American traditions are dear, who love their country and try to act decently by their neighbors—owe it to themselves to remember that the most damaging blow that can be given popular government is to elect an unworthy and sinister agitator on a platform of violence and hypocrisy.

Railroad Employees' Hours.

I call your attention to the need of passing the bill limiting the number of hours of employment of railroad employees. The measure is a very moderate one, and I can conceive of no serious objection to it. Indeed, so far as it is in our power, it should be our aim steadily to reduce the number of hours of labor, with as a goal the general introduction of an eight hour day. There are industries in which it is not possible that the hours of labor should be reduced, just as there are communities not far enough advanced for such a movement to be for their good, or, if in the tropics, so situated that there is no analogy between their needs and ours in this matter. On the isthmus of Panama, for instance, the conditions are in every way so different from what they are here that an eight hour day would be absurd, just as it is absurd, so far as the isthmus is concerned, where white labor cannot be employed, to bother as to whether the necessary work is done by alien black men or by alien yellow men. But the wage-workers of the United States are of so high a grade that alike from the purely industrial standpoint and from the civic standpoint it should be our object to do what we can in the direction of securing the general observance of an eight hour day.

Let me again urge that the congress provide for a thorough investigation of the conditions of child labor and of the labor of women in the United States. The horrors incident to the employment of young children in factories or at work anywhere are a blot on our civilization.

In spite of all precautions exercised by employers there are unavoidable accidents and even deaths involved in nearly every line of business connected with the mechanic arts. It is a great social injustice to compel the employee, or, rather, the family of the killed or disabled victim, to bear the entire burden of such an inevitable sacrifice. In other words, society shirks its duty by laying the whole cost on the victim, whereas the injury comes from what may be called the legitimate risks of the trade. Compensation for accidents or deaths due in any line of industry to the actual conditions under which that industry is carried on should be paid by that portion of the community for the benefit of which the industry is carried on—that is, by those who profit by the industry. If the entire trade risk is placed upon the employer, he will promptly and properly add it to the legitimate cost of production and assess it proportionately upon the consumers of his commodity. It is therefore clear to my mind, that the law should place this entire "risk of a trade" upon the employer.

Capital and Labor Disputes.

Records show that during the twenty years from Jan. 1, 1881, to Dec. 31, 1900, there were strikes affecting 117,500 establishments, and 6,105,694 employees were thrown out of employment. During the same period there were 1,005 lockouts, throwing over 1,000,000 people out of employment. These strikes and lockouts involved an estimated loss to employees of \$907,000,000 and to employers of \$143,000,000, a total of \$450,000,000. The public suffered directly and indirectly probably as great additional loss.

Many of these strikes and lockouts would not have occurred had the parties to the dispute been required to appear before an unprejudiced body representing the nation and, face to face, state the reasons for their contention. The exercise of a judicial spirit by a disinterested body representing the federal government, such as would be provided by a commission on conciliation and arbitration, would tend to create an atmosphere of friendliness and conciliation between contending parties.

Control of Corporations.

It cannot too often be repeated that experience has conclusively shown the impossibility of securing by the actions of nearly half a hundred different state legislatures anything but ineffective chaos in the way of dealing with the great corporations which do not operate exclusively within the limits of any one state. In some method, whether by a national license law or in other fashion, we must exercise, and that at an early date, a far more complete control than at present over these great corporations—a control that will, among other things, prevent the evils of excessive overcapitalization and that will compel the disclosure by each big corporation of its stockholders and of its properties and business, whether owned directly or through subsidiary or affiliated corporations. This will tend to put a stop to the securing of inordinate profits by favored individuals at the expense of the welfare of the general public, the stockholders or the wage-workers. Our effort should be not so much to prevent consolidation as such, but so to supervise and control it as to see that it results in no harm to the people.

Combination of capital, like combination of labor, is a necessary element of our present industrial system. It is not possible completely to prevent it, and if it were possible such complete prevention would do damage to the body politic. What we need is not vainly to try to prevent all combinations, but to secure such rigorous and adequate control and supervision of the combinations as to prevent their injuring the public or existing in such form as inevitably to threaten injury, for the mere fact that a combination has secured practically complete control of a necessary life would under any circumstances show that such combination was to be presumed to be adverse to the public interest. It is unfortunate that our present laws should forbid all combinations instead of sharply discriminating between those combinations which do good and those combinations which do evil. Rates, for instance, are as often due to the pressure of big shippers (as was shown in the investigation of the Standard Oil company and as has been shown since by the investigation of the tobacco and sugar trusts) as to the initiative of big railroads. Often railroads would like to combine for the purpose of preventing a big shipper from maintaining improper advantages at the expense of small shippers and of the general public. Such a combination, instead of being forbidden by law, should be favored. In other words, it should be permitted to railroads to make agreements, provided these agreements were sanctioned by the interstate commerce commission and were published. With these two conditions complied with it is impossible to see what harm such a combination could do to the public at large.

Inheritance and Income Tax.

The national government has long derived its chief revenue from a tariff on imports and from an internal or excise tax. In addition to these, there is every reason why, when next our system of taxation is revised, the national government should impose a graduated inheritance tax and, if possible, a graduated income tax.

I am well aware that such a subject as this needs long and careful study in order that the people may become familiar with what is proposed to be done, may clearly see the necessity of proceeding with wisdom and self-restraint and may make up their minds just how far they are willing to go in the matter, while only trained legislators can work out the project in necessary detail. But I feel that in the near future our national legislators should enact a law providing for a graduated inheritance tax by which a steadily increasing rate of duty should be put upon all moneys or other valuable coming by gift, bequest or otherwise to any individual or corporation. There can be no question of the ethical propriety of the government thus determining the conditions upon which any gift or inheritance should be received.

As the law now stands it is undoubtedly difficult to devise a national income tax which shall be constitutional. But whether it is absolutely impossible is another question, and if possible it is most certainly desirable. The first purely income tax law was passed by the congress in 1891, but the most important law dealing with the subject was that of 1894. This the court held to be unconstitutional.

The question is undoubtedly very intricate, delicate and troublesome. The decision of the court was only reached by one majority. It is the law of the land and of course is accepted as such and loyally obeyed by all good citizens. Nevertheless the hesitation is evidently felt by the court as a whole in coming to a conclusion when the values at stake, with previous decisions on the subject, may perhaps indicate the possibility of devising a constitutional income tax law which shall substantially accomplish the results aimed at. The difficulty of amending the constitution is so great that only real necessity can justify a resort thereto. Every effort should be made in dealing with this subject, as with the subject of the proper control by the national government over the use of corporate wealth in interstate business, to devise legislation which without such action shall attain the desired end, but if this fails there will ultimately be no alternative to a constitutional amendment.

Industrial Training.

Our industrial development depends largely upon technical education, including in this term all industrial education, from that which fits a man to be a good mechanic, a good carpenter or blacksmith to that which fits a man to do the greatest engineering feat. The skilled mechanic, the skilled workman, can best become such by technical industrial education. The far-reaching usefulness of institutes of technology and schools of mines or of engineering is now universally acknowledged, and no less far reaching is the effect of a good building or mechanical trades school, a textile or watchmaking or engraving school.

In every possible way we should help the wage-worker who toils with his hands and who must (we hope in a constantly increasing measure) also

toil with his brain. Under the constitution the national legislature can do but little of direct importance for his welfare save where he is engaged in work which permits it to act under the interstate commerce clause of the constitution, and this is one reason why I so earnestly hope that both the legislative and judicial branches of the government will construe this clause of the constitution in the broadest possible manner.

The Farmer.

The only other persons whose welfare is as vital to the welfare of the whole country as is the welfare of the wage-workers are the tillers of the soil, the farmers.

Several factors must co-operate in the improvement of the farmer's condition. He must have the chance to be educated in the widest possible sense, in the sense which keeps ever in view the intimate relationship between the theory of education and the facts of life.

Organization has become necessary

in the business world, and it has accomplished much for good in the world of labor. It is no less necessary for farmers. Such a movement as the grange movement is good in itself and is capable of a well thought out extension for good so long as it is kept to its own legitimate business. The benefits to be derived by the association of farmers for mutual advantage and partly economic and partly sociological.

Irrigation and Forest Preservation.

Much is now being done for the states of the Rocky mountains and great plains through the development of the national policy of irrigation and forest preservation. No government policy for the betterment of our internal conditions has been more fruitful of good than this.

Divorce Legislation.

I am well aware of how difficult it is to pass a constitutional amendment. Nevertheless, in my judgment, the whole question of marriage and divorce should be relegated to the authority of the national congress. The change would be good from every standpoint. In particular it would be good because it would confer on the congress the power at once to deal radically and efficiently with polygamy, and this should be done whether or not marriage and divorce are dealt with. It is neither safe nor proper to leave the question of polygamy to be dealt with by the several states.

Merchant Marine.

Let me once again call the attention of the congress to two subjects concerning which I have frequently before communicated with them. One is the question of developing American shipping. I trust that a law embodying in substance the views or a major part of the views expressed in the report on this subject laid before the house at its last session will be passed. It seems to me that the proposed measure is as nearly unobjectionable as any can be.

The Currency.

I especially call your attention to the second subject, the condition of our currency laws. The national bank act has ably served a great purpose in aiding the enormous business development of the country, and within ten years there has been an increase in circulation per capita from \$21.41 to \$33.08. For several years evidence has been accumulating that additional legislation is needed. The recurrence of each crop season emphasizes the defects of the present laws. There must soon be a revision of them, because to leave them as they are means to incur the liability of business disaster. Since your body adjourned there has been a fluctuation in the interest on call money from 2 per cent to 30 per cent, and the fluctuation was even greater during the preceding six months. The secretary of the treasury had to step in and by wise action put a stop to the most violent period of oscillation.

I do not press any special plan. Various plans have recently been proposed by expert committees of bankers. Among the plans which are possibly feasible and which certainly should receive your consideration is that repeatedly brought to your attention by the present secretary of the treasury, the essential features of which have been approved by many prominent bankers and business men. According to this plan, national banks should be permitted to issue a specified proportion of their capital in notes of a given kind, the issue to be taxed at so high a rate as to drive the notes back when not wanted in legitimate trade. This plan would not permit the issue of currency to give banks additional profits, but to meet the emergency presented by times of stringency.

I do not say that this is the right system. I only advance it to emphasize my belief that there is need for the adoption of some system which shall be automatic and open to all sound banks so as to avoid all possibility of discrimination and favoritism.

The law should be amended so as specifically to provide that the funds derived from customs duties may be treated by the secretary of the treasury as he treats funds obtained under the internal revenue laws. There should be a considerable increase in bills of small denominations. Permission should be given banks, if necessary under settled restrictions, to retire their circulation to a larger amount than three millions a month.

Our Outlying Possessions.

I most earnestly hope that the bill to provide a lower tariff for or else absolute free trade in Philippine products will become a law. No harm will come to any American industry, and while there will be some small but real material benefit to the Filipinos, the main benefit will come by the showing made as to our purpose to do all in our power for their welfare.

Porto Rican Affairs.

American citizenship should be conferred on the citizens of Porto Rico. The harbor of San Juan, in Porto Rico, should be dredged and improved. The expenses of the federal court of Porto Rico should be met from the federal treasury.

Hawaii.

The needs of Hawaii are peculiar. Every aid should be given the islands, and our efforts should be increasing to develop them along the lines of a community of small freeholders, not of great planters with coolly tilled estates.

Alaska.

Alaska's needs have been partially met, but there must be a complete reorganization of the governmental system, as I have before indicated to you. I ask your especial attention to this. Our fellow citizens who dwell on the shores of Puget sound with characteristic energy are arranging to hold in Seattle the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. This exposition in its purposes and scope should appeal not only to the people of the Pacific slope, but to the people of the United States at large.

Rights of Aliens.

Not only must we treat all nations fairly, but we must treat with justice and good will all immigrants who come here under the law. Whether they are Catholic or Protestant, Jew or gentile, whether they come from England or Germany, Russia, Japan or Italy, matters nothing. All we have a right to question is the man's conduct. If he is honest and upright in his dealings with his neighbor and with the state, then he is entitled to respect and good treatment. Especially do we need to remember our duty to the stranger within our gates. It is the sure mark of a low civilization, a low morality, to abuse or discriminate against or in any way humiliate such stranger who has come here lawfully and who is conducting himself properly. To remember this is incumbent on every American citizen, and it is of course peculiarly incumbent on every government official, whether of the nation or of the several states.

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In my last message I advised you that the emperor of Russia had taken the initiative in bringing about a second peace conference at The Hague. Under the guidance of Russia the arrangement of the preliminaries for such a conference has been progressing during the past year. Progress has necessarily been slow, owing to the great number of countries to be consulted upon every question that has arisen. It is a matter of satisfaction that all of the American republics have now for the first time, been invited to join in the proposed conference.

Army and Navy.

It must ever be kept in mind that war is not merely justifiable, but imperative upon honorable men, upon an honorable nation, where peace can only be obtained by the sacrifice of conscientious conviction or of national welfare.

The United States navy is the surest guarantor of peace which this country possesses. I do not ask that we continue to increase our navy. I ask merely that it be maintained at its present strength, and this can be done only if we replace the obsolete and outworn ships by new and good ones, the equals of any afloat in any navy. To stop building ships for one year means that for that year the navy goes back instead of forward.

In both the army and the navy there is urgent need that everything possible should be done to maintain the highest standard for the personnel alike as regards the officers and the enlisted men. I do not believe that in any service there is a finer body of enlisted men and of junior officers than we have in both the army and the navy, including the marine corps.

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reached, embodied in a series of resolutions and proposed conventions, will be laid before you upon the coming of the final report of the American delegates.

Panama Trip.

I have just returned from a trip to Panama and shall report to you at length later on the whole subject of the Panama canal.

The Algeiras Convention.

The Algeiras convention, which was signed by the United States as well as by most of the powers of Europe, supersedes the previous convention of 1880, which was also signed both by the United States and a majority of the European powers. This treaty confers upon us equal commercial rights with all European countries and does not entail a single obligation of any kind upon us, and I earnestly hope it may be speedily ratified.

Sealing.

The destruction of the Pribilof Island fur seals by pelagic sealing still continues. The herd, which, according to the survey made in 1874 by direction of the congress, numbered 4,700,000, and which, according to the survey of both American and Canadian commissioners in 1891, amounted to 1,000,000, has now been reduced to about 180,000. This result has been brought about by Canadian and some other sealing vessels killing the female seals while in the water during their annual pilgrimage to and from the south or in search of food.

The process of destruction has been accelerated during recent years by the appearance of a number of Japanese vessels engaged in pelagic sealing.

Suitable representations regarding the incident have been made to the government of Japan, and we are assured that all practicable measures will be taken by that country to prevent any recurrence of the outrage.

We have not relaxed our efforts to secure an agreement with Great Britain for adequate protection of the seal herd, and negotiations with Japan for the same purpose are in progress.

The laws for the protection of the seals within the jurisdiction of the United States need revision and amendment.

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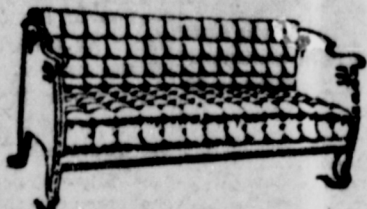
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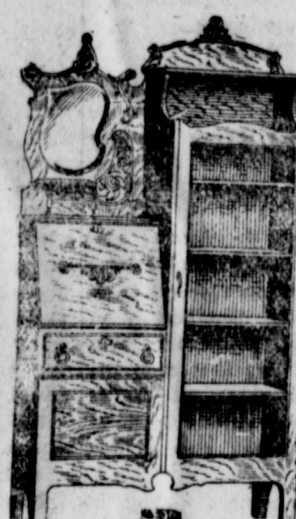
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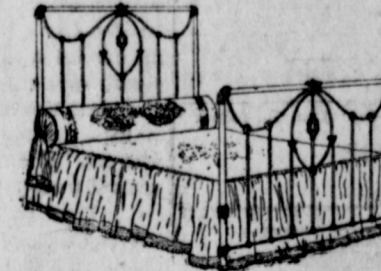


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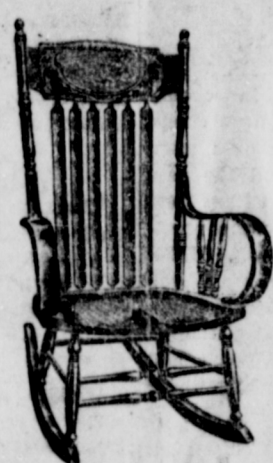


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WHO IS MISS GREY?

MYSTERIOUS PASSENGER ON ST. PAUL DIES ON SHIPBOARD.

She Was to Meet a Man in New York Who Cannot Be Located—Authorities Puzzled.

New York, Dec. 4.—When the steamer St. Paul, of the American line, docked here today the ship's surgeon reported to the coroner's office the death during the voyage of Miss Agnes Grey, a first cabin passenger, sixty-one years old, of 13 Denbigh Terrace, West London. Miss Grey died suddenly of heart failure on Saturday. A stewardess found her lifeless in her stateroom.

She had told the stewardess that she was on her way to this country to settle an estate. She also said that Julius Seymour, a lawyer with an office in William street, was to meet her at the dock, but when the St. Paul reached her dock no friends of the woman could be found. The police also tried to find Mr. Seymour, but were unsuccessful.

The ship's surgeon learned that the woman was wealthy. Neither relatives nor friends appeared today to claim the body and it was permitted to remain on the vessel. The St. Paul officers cabled to the London address given by Miss Grey, but up have received no reply.

The London postoffice directory for the present year does not contain the name of Miss Agnes Grey. It gives the occupant of 13 Denbigh Terrace, West, as Harry James Johnson.

POSSE WAS DETERMINED

But Had Nothing More Fearsome to Face Than a Dog.

The soft tread of an unknown intruder in the front room of Ben Franks' residence, 1113 South Fourth street, alarmed the feminine portion

of his family, who returned home late in the evening without made protection. They had locked the door of the front room and it remained closed. The footsteps sounded as if the one inside were seeking an entrance into the rest of the house. They did not wait developments, but alarmed the neighborhood. Councilman Meyers was one of the first to arrive on the scene with a gun. Others followed and soon a score of determined men surrounded the house. The more intrepid formed a posse and entered the side door. They grouped themselves in the most effective position for quick action in case the burglar should show fight. One of their number cautiously opened the door and out walked old "Jack," the watch dog which had been locked in the room by the family.

PLAGUE GERMS FOUND.

Scientists had Inoculated Them With Cholera Serum.

Manila, Dec. 4.—An investigation made at Billbid, where ten prisoners who had been inoculated with cholera serum recently, died has disclosed traces of plague germs in the dead bodies. No formal report on the result of the investigation has been made and the government has reached no decision in the matter. It is asserted that tubes containing plague germs and others filled with cholera serum which are so much alike that it is almost impossible to distinguish them apart, were mixed in the laboratory by a visitor, who examined the plague germs and by mistake placed them in a rack with the serum tubes. This is said to have occurred during the temporary absence of Dr. R. P. Strong, of the bureau of science, who has been conducting experiments in inoculation of persons with cholera serum to test its efficacy. The natives, generally, are in ignorance of the situation, but the foreign papers are indignant and bitter. It is not believed that criminal charges will be preferred, but it is possible that Dr. Strong may resign.

BAD OPINION

OF AMERICANS ENTERTAINED BY MEXICANS.

E. M. Williams Writes of Foreign View of Our Lynchings and Mobs.

Capt. Mike Williams, superintendent of the marine ways, has received a letter from his son, E. M. Williams, who recently went to Monterey, Mexico, to take the position of superintendent in a rolling mill. In this letter he tells of the opinion in which Americans are held by the general population of Mexico.

After describing a bull fight he witnessed in which one man, five bulls and six horses were killed, and commenting on the temperament of the Mexican people, he tells of their opinion of us.

The lynching mobs with their horrible attendant evils; our great industrial strikes and their violence; the fierceness of some of our election contests; and finally such incidents as the one just occurring at Princeton; have inoculated the minds of the less enlightened Mexicans, but who form the bulk of the people, with the idea that all Americans will shoot on the slightest provocation, and shoot to kill.

SUE THE COUNTY

Is Suggestion of Attorneys Concerning Princeton Outrage.

Since the burning of tobacco barns at Princeton, Caldwell county, last week, there has been much speculation as to how the tobacco men will proceed to collect damages. Interest has run high in this problem, and several attorneys have expressed themselves.

"I think that the only logical way to proceed is to sue the county," was

the declaration of one well known man. To sue the county and secure judgment would, of course, work a hardship on some property owners, but in order to have justice done it may be necessary to bring full realization of the enormity of the offense home to some citizens through their pockets.

GIRL STUDENTS FIRE FIGHTERS
Turn Out at Midnight and Form a Bucket Brigade at Hindman.

Lexington, Ky. Dec. 4.—Forty young women students of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union school at Hindman, Ky., saved that city from destruction last night when the students' hall of the college burned.

The fire which originated from a cigar stump, was discovered at midnight. Forty young women who roomed in a near by dormitory immediately formed themselves into a fire brigade. With the aid of ladders and ropes a number of them reached the top of the burning hall, where they remained pouring water on the roof until the fire endangered their lives, but they succeeded in preventing the flames from spreading to the surrounding buildings.

An ordinance is being prepared giving the young women a vote of thanks.

Somewhat a man is unable to get the idea into his head that a girl with a dimple can be in the intellectual class.

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C. C. Malone, of Murray, Held in Police Court This Morning—Other Cases Heard.

C. C. Malone, a prominent young man of Murray, was this morning in police court held over to the grand jury for malicious cutting with intent to kill, and ten minutes after court adjourned witnesses in the case were en route to the court house to take the matter up in the grand jury room.

There is little evidence in the case. Gibson Park a carpenter, and Riley Pitman, a blacksmith, were on North Fourth street, near Broadway. Malone and Park got into a controversy ending in Malone's thrusting a knife in Park's back just below the left shoulder. The wound is not serious.

Other cases: John Britt, drunkenness, \$1 and costs; Bill Ford, drunk and disorderly, \$10 and costs; Less Perkins, colored, disorderly conduct, dismissed; B. Carrell, Grace Baty, colored, immorality, continued; Ed Williams, colored, maliciously cutting Ed Burress, continued; Mary Thurman, colored, disorderly conduct, continued.

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CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

November—1906.

1.....	3923	16.....	3926
2.....	4069	17.....	3939
3.....	3936	18.....	3892
4.....	4006	19.....	3876
5.....	3920	20.....	3864
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7.....	3980	22.....	3888
8.....	4009	23.....	3897
9.....	3947	24.....	3889
10.....	3958	25.....	3886
11.....	4023	26.....	3892
12.....	3975	27.....	3901
13.....	3963	28.....	3908
14.....		29.....	
15.....		30.....	

TOTAL.....102,888

Average for November, 1906.....3957

Average for November, 1905.....3719

Increase.....238

Personally appeared before me, this Dec. 1, 1906, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Nov., 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR, Notary Public.
My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"You never know what you can do until you try."

OPENING FOR SOMEBODY.

With the erection of the immense elevator now under construction by the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railroad company, the hopes of Paducahans turn toward the acquisition of a flour mill. If there is one industry this city needs, and that would pay if properly managed, it is a flour mill. It is estimated that the people of this city spend \$500 a week for this staple. Every cent of this money, except the per cent of profit taken by the dealer, goes out of circulation as far as Paducah is concerned. Hopkinsville has three mills that grind wheat. Most of the wheat is shipped there from Kansas. The mills get a stop over privilege for the wheat. It is taken from the car, ground into flour, repacked in the car and sent on its journey. Paducah is better located for this industry. It has a larger tributary population, better railroad facilities, the river to draw on and a big elevator in course of construction. Some experienced mill man will discover Paducah as a flour town before long, and there is a fortune in waiting for the discoverer.

Commenting on an editorial statement in the Typographical Union Bulletin pointing with pardonable pride to the fact that the Ohio Penitentiary News has suspended publication, because there are no printers in the institution to set type, the O. P. News in a recent issue replies that the source of the pride would have to be "pardonable" if it were true, because the paper has never missed an issue and concludes:

No printers? Ghosts of Gutenberg! Of course there are printers here; plenty of printers here now, always have been since it has been a prison and always will be as long as the prison exists. If anyone can name a community which equals this in size (approximately 1,600) that has no printers—from the rock-bound coast of Maine to the Golden Gate of California, or from the everglades of Florida to the Olympic Mountains of Washington—we should like to know of it—not with any intention of going there, for it would be an undesirable place to stop, even for a short time—but we should like to know just for the information.

Governor Beckham apparently is intent on carrying out his implied promises, made during the recent primary campaign, to enforce the state closing laws, especially in Louisville. There has been much talk of a special session of the legislature to make the existing laws effective, but the governor sensibly has reasoned that lax enforcement by municipal governments in the state have not sufficiently tested the statutes to demon-

strate just where they need reinforcement. He desires to make a thorough test. If the state wins, the city government will have before it an example it scarcely will dare to ignore; and, if the state fails, the governor will know just what is lacking and recommend some action to the legislature.

Eighteen ruined girls destitute on the streets, ordered out of Cairo, because they are Paducah's victims, not Cairo's, many of them back here for the city to take care of—this is the condition people breed when they permit such settlements as that which disgraced Kentucky avenue, to thrive in their midst. Out on the avenue now are "Madams," who have grown opulent trafficking in young girls' virtue. They decoy these girls from the country hold them in positive slavery, teach them to drink and the use of drugs, and then when the order comes to discontinue their practices, throw the girls out into the world penniless. It will be a shame if ever these harpies are allowed to resume their feast of sin.

The statement that a Kentucky man picked up a snake thinking it was his pipe sounds improbable. The Kentucky brand doesn't have that effect on the natives.—Montgomery Advertiser.

It never does, and, moreover, no one ever saw a Kentuckian smoking a pipe that by any stretch of imagination, even the late stages, could be mistaken for a snake. The good old corn-cob isn't that shape.—New York Herald.

Dowie is not insane his followers protest and they will oppose the appointment of a guardian for him. Point well taken. When a man is crazy the way Dowie is, the state should appoint a guardian for other people.

Public service corporations in Paducah will soon be admitted to all the privileges of citizenship. The general council intends to permit them to pay pole tax.

During a quarrel with his landlady a Chicago man bit off her nose. It is wonderful what strength of jaw can be cultivated in some boarding houses.

Theodore Shonts says the president took Panama by storm. Is he giving the administration credit for causing the cave-in and the flood in the ditch?

IN MISSOURI.

A remarkable feature of the recent election in Missouri was the defeat of Senator John F. Morton. For nearly twenty years Senator Morton has been a Democratic leader, and was prominent among those who opposed the nomination of Folk for governor. For twelve years he has been the recognized spokesman and leader of the corporation interests on the floor of the Missouri senate. He is an astute politician and a skilled campaigner. His district, a rural one, is normally Democratic by nearly three thousand. Governor Folk's first campaign speech this year was delivered in Morton's section of the state, and it was there the governor made his first appeal for the election of none but honest men, regardless of party. When Bryan came into the state he was taken into Morton's district, and there, at Carrollton, Missouri, he made a special appeal to the voters in behalf of Senator Morton. The appeal was heard in silence. Not a word was said against Morton in public by any speaker. Apparently there was no concerted effort to defeat him. But the farmers had resolved what to do, and in his own county he lost nearly two thousand Democratic votes. Contrast with this the result in St. Louis. At the opening of the campaign the Republicans were divided, and the Democrats seemed to have an excellent chance to carry the city. The Democratic convention was dominated by friends of the lawless, liquor, race-track and bucket-shop interests, and by attorneys for the public service corporations. To a Democratic judge who had rendered a decision against "The Big Clinch" a renomination was refused, and a corporation tool was placed on the ticket in his stead. Governor Folk's name was publicly hissed in the convention. Among the Democratic nominees, as among the Republican nominees, were found ex-convicts. Governor Folk, in a speech at Fulton, Missouri, stated that if some of the men running on both the Republican and Democratic legislative tickets in St. Louis were sent to Jefferson City, he would instruct the warden of the state prison not to permit the convicts to associate with them. As a result about fifty thousand citizens of St. Louis failed to vote at all, and the Republican ticket was elected.—From Collier's for Nov. 24, 1906.

Six Day Bicycle Race.
The annual six-day bicycle race will begin at the Madison Square Garden next Sunday night, with most of the various national champions entered for the contest.

MUST SEGREGATE MATURED PUPILS

Grown Up Japs Can Not Mingle With Little Children

Chief Reason Why San Francisco Insists on Running Her Own Schools.

SURPRISED AT JAPS' VIEW

Washington, Dec. 4.—Among senators and representatives who have arrived here for the session—a large percentage of the membership of both houses—the controversy over the treatment of Japanese who desire to attend the public schools in San Francisco overshadows in point of interest every other topic of discussion.

In view of the apparent determination of the local authorities of that city to consider themselves the best judges as to the manner of conducting their schools, the opinion is quite prevalent that whatever solution of the troublesome question is evolved, it cannot be absolutely satisfactory to the government of Japan.

The San Francisco authorities seem to be bent upon at least segregating the Japanese who are approaching the age of maturity from the white children who attend the public schools. California members of congress who have arrived in Washington reflect the resentment which their constituencies are manifesting on this question when they say the commingling of Japanese, fully grown, or nearly so, with American girls, of immature age can not and will not be tolerated.

Causes Astonishment.

To many conspicuous public men here it is rather astonishing that Japan should insist upon this point, especially in view of the fact that in every school district of the United States where adults attend they are separated from the children. They say, as every American knows, that one of the most commendable features of the public school system of the United States is the manner in which pupils of tender age are kept apart from those much older, and even those who are anxious that the controversy be adjusted quickly and satisfactorily to both sides contend that the position of the Japanese government on this point is untenable.

Increase Freight Traffic.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Dec. 4.—The government traffic report issued today shows movement of freight for season to date to be 50,192,335 tons through canals, nearly 6,000,000 greater than for the corresponding period last year.

Heaviest Girl Dead.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 4.—Ethel Chambers, of Beaver City, Neb., is dead. She was 17 years of age and weighed nearly 300 pounds. She was the heaviest person of her age in the state.

Culley's Christmas Suggestions

THE NEW STORE is chock full of Christmas things—everything of the newest. This is our first Christmas, and we intend to make it memorable. Watch this space every day for news of the most exclusive things for Christmas gifts to be found in the city.

Smoking Jackets \$6.50 to \$18.

We are showing the handsomest things in jackets we could find. They come in the pretty two-tone effects now so much in favor, in blues, grays, browns, black and dark subdued effects, and are lined in splendid taste. At \$6.50 you find something better than you would hope for, and at the higher prices, \$10 to \$18, you find the prettiest things to be had.

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PASTOR KEEPS GOLF AND CIGAR

Effort to Upbraid Ministerial Devotee of Links Falls.

Gadsden, Ala., Dec. 4.—Rev. James A. Duncan, a prominent minister of Birmingham, may continue to play golf and smoke cigars the while. The effort in the Methodist conference for north Alabama, sitting here, to upbraid him for indulging in the pastime has failed.

Rev. Mr. Duncan is a daily visitor to the links in Birmingham and recently engaged in a tournament at Memphis, winning a loving cup and playing with such brilliancy that the daily papers reproduced his photograph, which showed him dressed in a regulation golf costume and smoking a cigar as he was in the act of "driving." Bishop Hendrix and Presiding Elder Dobbs called on Dr. Duncan for a statement. His reply was that he had never committed an act in his life that he could not thank God for. The incident was thus closed.

Dr. Duncan resigned from a pulpit in Chattanooga several years ago, when his congregation sought to discipline him for engaging in golf.

BIT OFF HER NOSE.

Chicago Man Threw Landlady's Feather in the Fire.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 4.—Biting off the nose of his landlady with whom he quarreled, Tom Murphy carried it to a red-hot stove and dropped it into the fire where it was destroyed. He then made his escape. The victim is Mrs. Charles Dwyer, 4535 Wallace street, and Murphy roomed at the same address.

Last night they had an altercation concerning a delinquent bill and the struggle that ensued, it is charged, Murphy succeeded in severing the woman's olfactory organ with his teeth. A small nephew of Mrs. Dwyer notified the police, but Murphy had escaped and was not captured. The woman was given medical attention, but will be disfigured for life.

SALOONS AND GROCERIES

Will Be Divorced If This Ordinance Is Enacted by Council.

An ordinance divorcing saloons and groceries was introduced in the board of councilmen last night by the ordinance committee, and referred to the city solicitor for revision. The ordinance makes it punishable by a fine for a person to operate a saloon in connection with any other business. It will affect about twenty-five grocers in the city.

20,000,000 People Starve.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 4.—Princes Lvoff and Orbeliani, the representatives of the Moscow Zemstvo famine relief fund, who have just returned from the stricken districts, have furnished the Associated Press with the following facts regarding the conditions in the famine provinces:

The crops in the seven provinces of Samara, Samaratov, Sembirsk, Kazan, Penza, Tambov and Ufa were practically total failures. In twenty provinces the harvests were very poor. About 20,000,000 people will need assistance from four to ten months to save off starvation until the new crops are available.

REHKOPF ASSETS ARE SOLD TODAY

Purchased By Son-in-Law Of The President.

Bring \$17,730 and Trustee Is to Finish Leather—Weeks Will Probated.

NEWS FROM CIRCUIT COURT

J. E. Walters, son-in-law of E. Rehkopf, bought the stock in the Second street store, the machinery, tan bark and equipment at the tannery and the stock at the latter place, belonging to the bankrupt estate of the E. Rehkopf Saddletry company, this morning from Cecil Reed, trustee, the whole bringing approximately \$17,730. The stock at the Second street store was sold first, Mr. Walters bidding it in for \$12,000. Then the party proceeded to the tannery. The leather goods there were sold for \$5 1-16 cents the pound. Part of it is not finished, but the trustee is authorized to finish it. The stock will bring about \$3,000. The tan bark machinery and equipment was sold to Mr. Walters for \$2,730. The assets were estimated at \$45,000 in value. Other bidders were Carl Fink, Louisville; A. Dobbins, Louisville, and E. Spillinger, Cincinnati.

Will of E. P. Weeks.

The will of the late E. P. Weeks was filed this morning in county court for probate. The first clause provides for the erection of a monument over his grave and the payment of funeral and cemetery expenses. The following are the provisions: To his grandchildren, Mabel C. Weeks and P. E. Weeks, \$1,000 in cash each. To grandchildren, Cooper Weeks, Cornelia Weeks, Beulah Weeks, Mary Antoinette Weeks and Roy W. McKinney, \$10 in cash each; to his daughter, Sarah A. Weeks, all the household effects, pictures, kitchen furniture, etc.; to his daughters, Callie L. Smith and Sarah A. Weeks, all the residue of personal property; to his daughters, Callie L. Smith and Sarah A. Weeks a one-third undivided interest in property at Washington and Second streets, also a one-third undivided interest in property at Tenth and Monroe streets. He leaves all the balance of his estate to these two daughters. Frank B. Smith and Roy McKinney are named as executors without bond, and the final clause in the will requests that no inventory of the estate be made unless absolutely necessary, and in that event that the executors be permitted to make it privately.

Norfleet Discharged.

The last indictment against J. T. Norfleet, charged with forgery, was dismissed this morning for lack of evidence against him. Norfleet was alleged to have used the name of Jennie Cowsett on two checks for small amounts which were cashed by grocers and later found to be worthless. The woman appeared against him in police court, but went to Evansville and could not be secured to prosecute Norfleet in the state court. The bond of Jim Doolin, charged with stealing more than \$20 worth of rope from river property, was declared forfeited. E. E. Heath went the \$300 bond.

Novy Burnly was fined \$25 and costs for disturbing public worship.

The Petit Jury.

The petit jury was empaneled this morning as follows: J. L. Davis, S. A. Harkey, J. H. Derrington, T. J. Barry, H. E. Johnson, A. D. King, J. B. Coombs, R. L. Ely, G. W. Brownell, C. E. Gridley, M. E. Jarboe, B. M. Griffith, T. R. Housman, Henry Seamon, Charles Frederick, T. E. Fortson, J. B. Harper, M. W. Adcock, H. L. Judd, W. A. H. Dunaway, C.

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Theatrical Notes

AT THE KENTUCKY.
Friday Night....."My Dixie Girl."
Saturday Matinee and Night....."A Woman of Mystery."

Land of Nod Pleases.
One of the best houses of the season was present last night at the Kentucky theater to witness the Will J. Block Amusement company's production of the popular "Land of Nod." As always the chorus carried off the honors, although this is no reflection on the ability of the principals, every one of whom scored an individual hit. But the clever dances and evolutions, brilliant ensemble, gorgeous costumes and the uniform beauty of the aggregation won applause every time the girls appeared. The music and scenic effects of the extravaganza are entrancing, and the whole performance delightful. Many of the principals are well known here. Knox Taylor, who played April Fool, is particularly prominent in the minds of local theater patrons for his work in the Burgomaster the night the Kentucky theater was opened five years ago.

Sheriff's Report.
Sheriff John Ogilvie today filed a statement of his collections for the year.
The report:
Total collections.....\$130,983.82
Paid to county.....76,297.19
Paid to state.....48,847.28
Balance.....\$5,839.35
Sheriff's commission.....\$5,839.35
The report will be presented to the fiscal court when it meets in special session December 18.

In Bankruptcy.
Thornton H. Lowry, a distiller, of Marion, filed a petition in bankruptcy this afternoon. His liabilities are \$1,500 with no assets. He owes no Paducah firms.

Mr. Edward Skelton, of Madison, Wis., violin and cornet player, has moved to Paducah and will play first violin in The Kentucky orchestra.

The Cuban Idea.
Havana, Dec. 4.—The impression created in Cuba by President Roosevelt's utterance on the Cuban question in his message to congress is that Washington has determined on a protectorate for the island.

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LOCAL LINES.

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—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1-2 Broadway. Phone 196.
—The burned out electric light in the city hall clock tower has been replaced by a new one, and the clock is once again visible at night. It had been in darkness for a week.
—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Fraternity building.
—Winter dances in the pavilion is a feature of the Paducah traction company is offering the public. The dancing pavilion at Wallace park has been inclosed and the floor polished. Heated cars will be run on dance nights and the first dance will be given by Mr. Frank Augustus Thursday night.
—A single or two-letter monogram and two quires of the best grade of linen paper for \$1 is just one of the many splendid offerings in this line at The Sun office.
—C. L. Parker, of Salem, Ky., reported to the police this morning that he had been robbed of his overcoat at the Hart House.
—The most complete line of fancy stationery for Christmas to be found in the city is at The Sun office at prices from 40c up.
—Saturday is the third pay day for county teachers. A total of \$4,200 will be handled by S. J. Billington, county superintendent. It is pay for two months.
—Large line unredempted pledges—Diamonds, high-grade watches, genuine Parker Bros. & Smith shotguns, pistols, etc., at half price. Ike Cohen, 106 S. Second street.
—Mr. Philis Lack was driving his automobile to town from his factory on South Third street at 11:30 o'clock this morning when a rear axle broke. The machine went 40

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DEATHS OF A DAY

Little Marlon Davidson.
Friends in this city were painfully shocked yesterday to receive the sad news of the death, in Boise, Idaho, of Marlon Davidson, only child of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Davidson, of that city, who passed away suddenly early Thanksgiving morning of membranous croup, aged 2 years and 11 months. Little Marlon has a large circle of friends in this city who will deeply sympathize with her in her sad bereavement. She was known here as Miss Hattie Quarles, at one time a teacher in the Franklin school. Little Marlon was a niece of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Gaines, of 415 South Third street.

KILL CHIEF AS PEOPLE LOOK ON
Negro Raiders Rob and Kill Dying Man at Spillertown, Ill.

Spillertown, Ill., Dec. 4.—Four negro raiders late last night fatally shot Chief of Police James Dailey, robbed and killed the dying man in the presence of a crowd of citizens and escaped. The chief was trying to arrest them single handed. Two negroes who were among the raiders were captured today. Threats of lynching have been freely made, but it is believed the negroes will be allowed to live long enough to testify against their companions, if the latter are caught. There is also talk of running out the imported southern negroes.

KILLING FOLLOWS LODGE TRIAL

Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 4.—A verdict of murder in the first degree was returned today by the coroner's jury in the case of Albert Jackson, who shot and killed Thomas Broughton in Mills township, near this city. The killing, it is alleged, followed the trial of Broughton in the Masonic lodge the same day on a charge of insulting the wife of Jackson, his slayer. When Broughton was acquitted he started to his home, but was overtaken and shot down by Jackson, who made good his escape.

INDIAN LAND QUESTION.
Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 4.—President Murray, of the constitutional committee, today appointed a committee to memorialize congress, requesting the transfer of segregated land in the Indian Territory from federal to state control. The convention considered the advisability of buying these lands but action was deferred until the last of the week.

The Rev. Rawlins Hanged.
Valdosta, Ga., Dec. 4.—The Rev. J. G. Rawlins, and Alf Moore, a negro, were hanged in the county jail today for the murder of the Carter children, as the result of a feud between the Rawlins and Carter families. Jesse and Milton Rawlins are sentenced to hang next Friday.

Grace Church Bazaar.
Friday, December 7, at I. C. Ticket Office, 510 Broadway, Fancy Articles, Dolls, Cakes, Candles, Dinner and Supper served. Also Afternoon Tea and Chafing Dish Lunch during afternoon. Open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

John Watson.
John Watson, 40, a painter of Jacob's Row, died last night of dropsy and will be buried this afternoon in Oak Grove cemetery. He leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. English and family are in the city and will remain until Christmas. Mr. English, who has been in Fulton four months, will open a commission house in Memphis.

THE MAN UNDER THE BED

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People and Pleasant Events

Musical Reception.
The Matinee Musical club will entertain this evening at the Eagle club house on Broadway with a musical reception. An exceedingly attractive program will be rendered in the gymnasium hall annex by some of the most notable local talent. Those taking part will be: Mrs. James Weille, Mrs. Will Clark, Mrs. George B. Hart, Mrs. Lela Lewis, Mrs. Stanley, Miss Julia Scott, Misses Puryear, Miss Newell, Miss Adah Brazelton, Miss Mayme Dryfuss, Miss Shelton, Mr. Robert D. MacMillen, Mr. Emmett Bagby. A reception in the club parlors will follow the program. All musical lovers in the city and friends of the club are cordially invited. It is an open meeting.

Evening Card Party.
Miss Maggie McHenry, of 1210 Tennessee street, entertained at cards last night, after which refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. William Ritter, Misses Susie Oberhausen, Dorothy Oberhausen, Mary Easley, Ruby Sulver, Laura Oberhausen, Messrs. John Weitlauf, Gus Blachon, Elmer Brake, Herman Heaven, Harry Sulver, John Easley and Ben Scott.

D. A. R. Meeting Postponed.
Paducah chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will not meet on Friday, the regular day, with Mrs. James M. Buckner, as announced. The meeting is postponed indefinitely owing to the absence of the regent Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells from the city.

Delphic Club.
The Delphic club met this morning at the Carnegie library. Three characters prominent in the ecclesiastical history of Spain, Ximenes, cardinal and statesman, Loyola, founder of the Jesuits, and St. Theresa were interestingly discussed by Mrs. Frank Scott, Mrs. George Wallace and Miss Kathleen Whitefield.

Card Party for Debutante.
Mrs. Bradshaw and Mrs. Will Bradshaw of 1438 West Broadway, are giving the first of a series of card parties this afternoon. Miss Katherine Powell, one of the winter's attractive debutantes, is the guest of honor.

U. D. C. Chapter.
Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, is meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Luke Russell, on West Jefferson boulevard.

Mr. Joseph P. Smith, of New Orleans, is in the city visiting his brother, Mr. James P. Smith, the wholesale grocer.

Miss Lena Henneberger, the trained nurse, has returned from Eddyville.

Mesdames Edward Rush and Clem Morris, of Fulton, have returned home after visiting Mr. John Craig Morris, of the I. C. hospital.

Mr. Isadore Klein goes south today on a drumming trip.

Mrs. R. Davis, of Salem, Ky., is here to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Dunning, of Monroe street.

Miss Georgia Iseman has returned from visiting her sister, Mrs. George R. Heisley, of Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. W. Y. Yandell has gone to Clarksville, Tenn., to join her husband and spend several weeks.

Mrs. Ezekiel Gordon, of South Fifth street, will leave for Pittsburg next Monday to visit her parents until after Christmas, when she will return to settle up the business affairs of her husband, the late Captain Gordon.

Mr. Samuel Livingston and wife of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Abe Livingston, of West Broadway.

Mrs. Bessie Brown is visiting here from Princeton.

Ernest L. Bean is running in the place of Engineer Will Burch on the Paducah-Cairo I. C. accommodation passenger train.

Mr. William F. Horton, the well known saddle maker, has gone to Chicago to accept a position in a big leather-working plant as foreman.

Attorney Charles K. Wheeler went to Eddyville, Lyon county, this morning on professional business.

Mr. A. H. Egan, superintendent of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central, is in the city.

Mrs. Mary Stronz, of Shawneetown, Ill., who has been visiting the family of Mr. William Cremons, of Trimble street, returned home today.

Maj. George W. Saunders, of Mayfield, and son, are in the city today. Major Saunders was formerly deputy United States marshal in this district.

Mr. C. K. Wheeler is in Eddyville attending court today.

Mr. J. W. Fowler, traveling salesman of the S. H. Winstead Medicine

company, at Macon, Ga., is in the city on business.

Mr. R. H. Dale, of near Rossington, is ill from pneumonia.

Mrs. C. H. Blaney has returned from St. Louis, where she spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Dr. S. A. Bookhammer, of Atlanta, Ga., arrived yesterday to visit his brother, Mr. H. J. Bookhammer, the well known barber.

Mrs. Emmet Holt, of 1239 Trimble street has returned from Hazen, Ark., where she was called by the death of her sister, Miss Lillie Houston, who died of typhoid fever last week.

Mr. Gus Edwards, of the Paducah Light and Fuel company, has resigned and accepted a position as city salesman for the West Kentucky Coal company.

Mr. Monroe Nance, who has been in the west for several years, will leave today for Texas. He has been visiting relatives in Paducah.

Mr. Joe Bishop went to St. Charles today on business.

Captain John Webb went to Henderson this morning on business.

Attorney William Marble went to Princeton this morning on professional business.

Mr. Ambrose Mercer, the well known Illinois Central engineer, went to Central City this morning on a week's hunting trip.

Mrs. W. B. Pace, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Muscoe Burnett, in Paducah, is expected home the first of this week.—Louisville Evening Post.

R. W. Morris, of the Seaboard Air line, and T. H. McConnell, of the Norfolk & Western railways, were in the city today on business for their roads.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

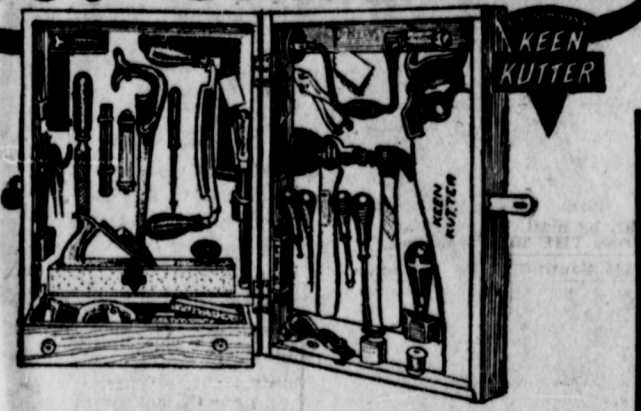
Wheat—	Open	Close
Max	78	78 1/2
July	77 1/2	77 1/2
Corn—		
May	43 1/2	43 1/2
July	44 1/2	44 1/2
Oats—		
May	34 1/2	35 1/2
Pork—		
May	15.17	15.17
Cotton—		
Jan.	10.11	9.98
Mar.	10.28	10.17
May	10.43	10.30
Stocks—		
I. C.	1.75 1/2	1.75 1/2
L. & N.	1.47 1/2	1.46 1/2
U. P.	1.88 1/2	1.86 1/2
Rdg.	1.49	1.47 1/2
St. P.	1.83 1/2	1.81 1/2
Mo. P.95 1/2	.94 1/2
Penn.	1.39 1/2	1.39 1/2
Cop.	1.14 1/2	1.13 1/2
Smel.	1.54 1/2	1.52 1/2
Lead76 1/2	.75 1/2
C. F. L.55 1/2	.55
U. S. P.	1.05	1.05
U. S.48 1/2	.47 1/2

Local Markets.
Dressed Chickens—20c to 40c.
Eggs—30c doz.
Butter—25c lb.
Sweet Potatoes—per bu. 50c.
Country Hams—17c lb.
Irish Potatoes—Per bu. 60c.
Green Sausage—10c lb.
Sausage—10c lb.
Country Lard—12c lb.
Celery—\$1.00 dozen.
Turnips—\$1.50 bu.
Parsnips—\$1.00 bu.
Green Tomatoes—50c basket.
Turnips—Three for 10c.
Lettuce—10c.
Spinach—50c bu.
Peas—10c qt.
Rabbits—15c each.

PADUCAH GRAIN MARKET.
Wheat—67c bu.
Corn—50c bu.
New Corn—40c bu.
Hay—From jobbers to retail dealers—Strict grades. Choice Tim. \$18; No. 1 Tim. \$17.50; No. 2 Tim. \$17. Fancy northern clover \$18. From country wagons at public quality medium to very poor, \$8 to \$17 per ton for various mixtures.

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FOR RENT—Room with bath at 609 1-2 Broadway. Suitable for one or two gentlemen. Apply Walker's drug store, Fifth and Broadway.

WANTED—A bright young man with experience to do office work. Must be a good mathematician. Address P. care Sun.

WANTED—Position by young man stenographer, experienced in several lines of business. Best references. W. L. care Sun.

FOR SALE—Choice lots in O'Bryan's addition, small monthly payments. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart building. Telephone 127.

FOR SALE—Small houses on Salem avenue for investment, yielding 14 per cent. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart building. Telephone 127.

LOST—Brown fur lined with white satin, Thursday night at the Union depot. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

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FOR SALE—Easy terms. 3 new houses in Northview addition near 12th street car line. W. D. Greer. 627 Broadway.

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FOR SALE—Good 16 room house, 72 foot lot, South Third street, close in. A bargain at \$3500. Apply to S.T. Randle, Room 5, American-German National bank.

FOR SALE—4-room cottage, 2 porches, Harrison street near Fourth

tain avenue, lot 50x165 to 16 foot alley; stable; \$1,300. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart building. Telephone 127.

LOST—One-man saw four feet long between cemetery and Fifth and Jefferson. Finder please return to Eaves' grocery, Eleventh and Madison and receive reward.

LOST—On Broadway, Saturday night, a small purse containing two silver dollars and some small change. Finder will confer favor by leaving same at this office. R. U. J.

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FOR SALE—Four room frame cottage on Broad street, 40 ft. lot running back to alley, reception hall, front and back porches, water in kitchen. Easy monthly payments. McCracken Real Estate and Mortgage Co. See L. D. Sanders, Phone 765, office 318 S. Sixth.

Celebrate Independence.
The two hundredth and sixty-sixth anniversary of the independence of Portugal from Spanish domination has been celebrated by the signature of a treaty between the two countries delimiting their respective frontiers.

FOR SALE—Good 16 room house, 72 foot lot, South Third street, close in. A bargain at \$3500. Apply to S.T. Randle, Room 5, American-German National bank.

FOR SALE—4-room cottage, 2 porches, Harrison street near Fourth

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FOR SALE—4-room cottage, 2 porches, Harrison street near Fourth

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FOR SALE—4-room cottage, 2 porches, Harrison street near Fourth

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FOR SALE—4-room cottage, 2 porches, Harrison street near Fourth

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FOR SALE—4-room cottage, 2 porches, Harrison street near Fourth

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FOR SALE—4-room cottage, 2 porches, Harrison street near Fourth



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RENT FOR POLES IN CITY STREETS

Provided For In Measure Introduced In Council.

Mayor's Office Hours Abolished —
Stock Catcher Made Permanent—Street Work.

A NEW LICENSE ORDINANCE

Six new ordinances were brought in at the meeting of the council last night, the most important of which was one fixing a pole rental for telegraph and telephone companies in the city at \$2 each a year.

The other five ordinances were severally for new sidewalks on Seventeenth street from Broadway to Jefferson street; similar improvements on Eighth street from Washington street to Clark street, but was referred back to the committee for extension to Tennessee street; the mayor's office hours were abolished; the position of stock catcher was made permanent; and for the reconstruction of Jefferson street and Broadway from Ninth street to Eleventh street, with asphalt, bitulithic, or vitrified paving block.

A new ordinance to extend the fire limits from Fifth street to Seventh street, was ordered brought in; the mayor was instructed to sign the bond the city must give in appealing the Crutchfield and Lander damage suits; a new license ordinance was ordered brought in; the mayor's suggestion that firemen not be required to furnish bonds was referred to the police and fire committee; the resolution of the board of aldermen deferring the execution of an order compelling billboards to be set back the distance of their height from pavements, except where they are against a wall, was concurred in.

A protest at the telephone rate was received and filed; a petition from the Home of the Friendless managers was received and acted upon; the action of the board of aldermen in ordering paid the damages in the suit of Mrs. Cornelia Johnson was ratified; the fire chief's report for the month was filed, as was the milk inspector's report.

The ordinance taxing telegraph poles and telephone poles includes both the ones at present occupying public streets, alleys and property, and all erected in the future. Failure to comply with the ordinance will be followed by the revocation of the license of the person, firm or corporation guilty, but this penalty applies only during 1907. The rules were suspended and the ordinance given second passage.

The ordinance abolishing office hours for the mayor also was given second passage, as was the ordinance making permanent the position of stock catcher at a salary of \$75 a month.

Extending Fire District.
The fire limit ordinance will be drawn so as to give the fire chief power to order all wooden outhouses torn down in the fire district, in addition to extending it out two blocks from Fifth street to Seventh street.

The resolution of the board of aldermen to have the joint license and ordinance committee to meet with the city solicitor and go over the license ordinances with the object of revising them, was concurred in.

Mayor Yelser stated that he did not think it necessary to require the firemen to give bonds as they did not handle any money. He thought it was an useless expense. His suggestion was referred to the fire and police committee.

J. L. Copeland, who bought out the Terrell livery stable on Jefferson street, petitioned the board to act in regard to the rate charged him and the one charged the former proprietors. He alleged that they were charged \$2.50 a month for the same service he is charged \$4. Mayor Yelser recommended that the petition be received as the city has not the power to interfere in telephone rate-making. The complaint was against the East Tennessee Telephone company.

Money for Home.
In view of the growth of the in-

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Gold Fillings.....1.00
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stitution, the board of lady managers of the Home of the Friendless asked that the appropriation to that institution be increased. The petition was referred to the new council, but for the month of December the Home was allowed \$30 extra. The present appropriation is \$70 a month.

The license inspector was instructed to collect or get out warrants for all persons, firms or corporations who have not paid their licenses. An ordinance to improve an alley between Third and Fourth streets was ordered brought in, and a complaint of excessive assessment from Will Roark in Chamblin and Murray's addition was referred to the supervisors.

The report of the finance committee showed that the city had a balance November 30 of \$45,308.48. \$22,807.92 was paid out during the month the large amount being due to the school assessment and the electric plant. Ten members were present at the meeting.

Councilman Herzog and Val Meter were the only absentees.

NEWS OF KENTUCKY

Will Not Sit on Lid.

Louisville, Dec. 4.—Governor J. C. W. Beckham has called upon Commonwealth's Attorney J. M. Huffaker, of Jefferson county, to carry out a program for enforcing Sunday closing, and Commonwealth's Attorney Huffaker, by a letter written to the governor today, in effect, declines to sit on the lid. The governor outlined his plan of proceeding through the commonwealth's attorney's office as follows: That the commonwealth's attorneys should request the governor to appoint counsel to assist him in bringing penal suits against the local saloonkeepers. These actions are damage suits brought in the civil courts and in the name of the state, and the governor is said to have expressed himself as willing to make appointments of counsel to assist in this extra work.

Night Riders Appear.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 4.—The night riders have made their appearance in the vicinity of Owensboro. Last night about 9 o'clock the big barn of James Wilson, an anti-Equity society man, was destroyed by flames, and all of the contents of the building were also consumed, including twenty-nine mules, two horses, 200 bushels of oats, 200 bushels of corn and fifty tons of hay.

After making a strenuous effort to get out of a rut, a man finds himself in a hole.

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OLD FORT MASSAC MONUMENT PLANS

Have Been Accepted By The
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Will Have Shaft 32 Feet High, and
Bear Historic Names and
References.

PLAYED A PROMINENT PART.

Plans for the accepted design of the granite monument to be erected by the Daughters of the American Revolution on the site of old Fort Massac, near Metropolis, Massac county, have been received by Mrs. M. T. Scott, of Bloomington, who is chairman of the committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The shaft will be 32 feet in height, and on each of the four sides near the top will be the coat of arms of the four nations which occupied the territory in succession. Also upon the sides of the shaft will be placed, in bronze the names of General George Rogers Clark and each of his band of 169 men. The monument will be dedicated next spring and the event will be a notable climax to the work of restoring the historical locality.

Fort Massac has a large place in the early history of Illinois, and around it have clustered numerous traditions and legends. It marked the pivotal in the long campaign made by General Clark against the British and their Indian allies. Had it not existed, the victories of Vincennes, Cahokia and Kaskaskia would not have been recorded. It was the means of securing for all time, the results of General Clark's expedition into the Wabash and Illinois territory. In its construction the fort marked the first steps in the acquisition of the vast expanse out of which were cut the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin and a part of Minnesota.

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Notice to Contractors.

The board of public works will receive bids on Wednesday, December 12, at 3 o'clock for the improvement of Nineteenth street, and Guthrie avenue, from Broadway to the Mayfield road, and Boyd street from Sixth to Seventh, by grading and graveling, as per plans and specifications on file in the city engineer's office, under ordinances governing same.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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Doubtless you have heard of the Bumper Crops which have been raised this year in Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Texas and New Mexico. Have you compared them with results obtained in your section? Is your work where you are, bringing you adequate returns for the capital invested and the labor expended? If not, a change would be beneficial perhaps. A visit to the Southwest will open your eyes. Out in Oklahoma the last big land opening is soon to take place; farms are still very cheap in Western Arkansas, Northern Louisiana and the Gulf Coast of Texas. Let us give you full information about these sections. You will want to see them after you have examined our illustrated literature.

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"And yet there may be a very good reason for it," suggested Pere la Chaise. "I would suggest that your majesty should ask this man his name, his business and why it was that the dragons were quartered upon him."

"You hear the reverend father's question."

"My name, sire, is Catnat, by trade I am a merchant in cloth, and I am treated in this fashion because I am of the Reformed church."

The king shook his head and his brow darkened. "You have only yourself to thank, then. The remedy is in your hands."

"And how, sire?"

"By embracing the only true faith."

"I am already a member of it, sire."

The king stamped his foot angrily.

"I can see that you are a very insolent heretic," said he. "There is but one church in France, and that is my church. If you are outside that you cannot look to me for aid."

"My creed is that of my father, sire, and that of my grandfather."

"If they have sinned it is no reason why you should. My own grandfather erred also before his eyes were opened."

"But he nobly atoned for his error," murmured the Jesuit.

"Then you will not help me, sire?"

"You must first help yourself."

The old Huguenot stood up with a gesture of despair, while the king continued on his way, the two ecclesiastics on either side of him murmuring their approval into his ears.

But the king bore the face of a man who was not absolutely satisfied with his own action.

"You do not think, then, that these people have too hard a measure?" said he. "I hear that they are leaving my kingdom in great numbers."

"And surely it is better so, sire, for what blessing can come upon a country which has such stubborn infidels within its boundaries?"

"Those who are traitors to God can scarce be loyal to the king," remarked



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Bossuet. "Your majesty's power would be greater if there were no temple, as they call their dens of heresy, within your dominions."

"My grandfather has promised them protection. They are shielded, as you well know, by the edict which he gave at Nantes."

"But it lies with your majesty to undo the mischief that has been done."

"And how?"

"By recalling the edict."

"And driving into the open arms of my enemies 2,000,000 of my best artisans and of my bravest servants. How say you, Louvois?"

"With all respect to the church, sire, I would say that the devil has given these men such cunning of hand and of brain that they are the best workers and traders in your majesty's kingdom. I know not how the state coffers are to be filled if such taxpayers go from among us."

"But," remarked Bossuet, "if it were once known that the king's will had been expressed your majesty may rest assured that even the worst of his subjects bear him such love that they would hasten to come within the pale of the holy church."

The king shook his head. "They have always been stubborn folk," said he.

"Perhaps," remarked Louvois, glancing maliciously at Bossuet, "were the bishops of France to make an offering to the state of the treasures of their sees we might then do without those Huguenot taxes."

"The kingdom is mine and all that is in it," remarked Louis as they entered the grand salon in which the court assembled after chapel, "yet I trust that it may be long before I have to claim wealth of the church. Where is Mansard? I must see his plans for the new wing at Marly."

"I think," said Pere la Chaise, drawing Bossuet aside, "that your grace has made some impression upon the king's mind."

"With your powerful assistance, father."

"But there is another who has more weight than I—Mme. de Maintenon."

"I hear that she is very devout."

"Very. But she has no love for my order. She is a Sulpician. Yet we may all work to one end. Now, if you were to speak to her, your grace. Show her how good a service it would be could she bring about the banishment of the Huguenots."

"I shall do so."

"And offer her in return that we will promote"—He bent forward and whispered into the prelate's ear.

"What! He would not do it."

"And why? The queen is dead."

"The widow of the poet Scarron?"

"She is of good birth. Her grandfather and his were dear friends. If she will serve the church, the church will serve her. But the king beckons, and I must go."

The thin dark figure hastened on through the throng of courtiers, and the great bishop of Meaux remained standing with his chin upon his breast, sunk in reflection.

CHAPTER V.

THE elderly Huguenot had stood silent after his repulse by the king, with his eyes cast moodily downward and a face in which doubt, sorrow and anger contended for the mastery. He was a very large, gaunt man, raven-haired and haggard, with a wide forehead, a large, fleshy nose and a powerful chin. He was dressed as became his rank, plainly and yet well, in a sad colored brown kersey coat with silver plated buttons, knee breeches of the same and white wooden stockings, ending in broad toed black leather shoes cut across with a great steel buckle.

His doubts as to what his next step should be were soon resolved for him in a very summary fashion. These were days when, if the Huguenot was not absolutely forbidden in France, he was at least looked upon as a man who existed upon sufferance, and who was unshielded by the laws which protected his Catholic fellow subjects. For twenty years the stringency of the persecution had increased until there was no weapon which bigotry could employ, short of absolute expulsion, which had not been turned against him.

Two of the king's big blue coated guardsmen were on duty at that side of the palace and had been witnesses to his unsuccessful appeal. Now they trumped across together to where he was standing and broke brutally into the current of his thoughts.

"Now, Hymnbooks," said one gruffly, "get off again about your business."

The old Huguenot shot a glance of anger and contempt at them and was turning to go when one of them thrust at his ribs with the butt end of his halberd.

"Take that, you dog!" he cried. "Would you dare to look like that at the king's guard?"

"Children of Belial!" cried the old man, with his hand pressed to his side, "were I twenty years younger you would not have dared to use me so."

"Ha, you would still spit your venom, would you? That is enough, Andre! He has threatened the king's guard. Let us seize him and drag him to the guardroom."

The two soldiers dropped their halberds and rushed upon the old man, but, tall and strong as they were, they found it no easy matter to secure him. They had hardly won their pitiful victory, however, before a stern voice and a sword flashing before their eyes compelled them to release their prisoner once more.

It was Captain de Catnat, who, his morning duties over, had strolled out on the terrace and had come upon this sudden scene of outrage. At the sight of the old man's face he gave a violent start and, drawing his sword, had rushed forward with such fury that the two guardsmen not only dropped their victim, but, staggering back from the threatening sword point, one of them slipped and the other rolled over him, a revolving mass of blue coat and white kersey.

"Villains!" roared De Catnat. "What is the meaning of this?"

The two had stumbled to their feet again, very shamefaced and ruffled.

"If you please, captain," said one, saluting, "this is a Huguenot who abused the royal guard."

"His petition had been rejected by the king, captain, and yet he refused to go."

De Catnat was white with fury. "And so when a French citizen has come to have a word with the great master of his country he must be harassed by two Swiss dogs like you?" he cried. "By my faith, we shall soon see about that!"

He drew a little silver whistle from his pocket, and at the shrill summons an old sergeant and half a dozen soldiers came running from the guardroom.

"Sergeant, you will arrest these men."

"Certainly, captain," said the sergeant.

"See that they are tried today for assaulting an aged and respected citizen who had come on business to the king."

"He was a Huguenot on his own confession," cried the culprits together.

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WITNESSES NEED TO BE PROTECTED

Governor May Be Asked To Send Troops

Cattle Buyer Stopped By Mob May Be Summoned as Well as Police and Operators.

CIRCUIT CLERK THREATENED.

Princeton, Ky., Dec. 4.—There is considerable talk of asking Governor Beckham to send troops here, not so much to prevent another outrage as to give protection to those who are willing to tell what they know concerning the events of Saturday morning. It is believed that much more information can be gathered with the soldiers on the ground than could be gleaned without their presence, as it is realized that the police would be powerless in case of any concerted action on the part of the men who took part in the outrage.

Among those who have been called upon to give evidence are the three policemen who were disarmed by the masked men, the two telephone girls who were forced to leave their posts, the telegraph operator and scores of citizens who heard the members of the mob in its wild midnight rush through the streets of Princeton.

Shipton Pettit, a well known cattle buyer, living in Caldwell county, near this place, is expected to be one of the most important witnesses. He was coming into town shortly after midnight Saturday morning, when he was met by a party of the "night riders," who ordered him to turn back. As Mr. Pettit is well acquainted in the neighborhood, it is believed that he recognized some of the members of the party, and he is reported to have said that he thought he could identify several of the men.

Another important witness will be L. L. Levell, a tobacco man of Hopkinsville, who had heard recently that the riders had planned to destroy a number of large stemmeries.

Trouble Feared.

The people of Princeton are still worked up to the highest pitch and the more timid of them are unable to sleep at night. The fear of the citizens of this place is in the effect of the trial of William Winters, section foreman of the Illinois Central, who has been arrested and released on bond, and who is to be given a hearing Thursday.

Threats Against Gardner.

Circuit Clerk Gardner has been urged by a number of the leading citizens to take all precautions against any violence toward himself. It was on his affidavit that Winters was arrested, and although no outright threats have been made against him, there have been some reports that unless he dropped the prosecution and discontinued his efforts to find the guilty person, he would be attended to by the night riders.

Mr. Gardner, however, declares that he is not afraid and that he will take every means in his power to run down the perpetrators of the outrage on Princeton.

Divorced Father Shoots at Judge.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., Dec. 4.—Because he had been denied the custody of his children, at the conclusion of his divorce suit today, G. B. Reed shot at Judge Sheppard, who had just rendered the adverse decision.

The excitement and nervousness of the assailant saved the judge from death or injury. Reed was disarmed by the sheriff and locked in jail.

A near-sighted man has a good excuse for not recognizing his creditors when he happens to meet them.

Says a woman: "I care not who does the thinking so long as I am permitted to do the talking."

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RIVER NEWS

River Stages.

Cairo	27.5	2.2	fall
Chattanooga	5.6	0.1	fall
Cincinnati	13.0	0.9	fall
Evansville	18.9	1.1	fall
Florence	4.2	0.3	fall
Johnsboro	8.2	1.1	fall
Louisville	5.7	0.4	fall
Mt. Carmel	4.9	0.5	fall
Nashville	9.7	0.3	fall
Pittsburg	5.1	0.7	fall
Davis Island Dam—Missing.			
St. Louis	10.0	0.1	rise
Mt. Vernon	18.0	2.2	rise
Paducah	20.5	2.5	fall

The gauge this morning registered a fall of 2.5 in the last 24 hours. The stage was 20.5. Business at the wharf was good.

Mark King, day watchman at the dry docks, took a cold plunge "a la Capt. Brown" yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. While leaving the dry docks to go home, he walked off the gang

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THE TOO FAITHFUL WATCHDOG.



PARISH CHURCH MATTER SETTLED

Filipino Aspirant Loses Case
In Provincial Court

Refuses to Recognize Rights of Un-
orthodox Organization to
Property.

VOLCANO GOOD FOR COFFEE.

Washington, Dec. 4.—The decision of the Philippine supreme court concerning the ownership of the parish church and convent, or parsonage, in the town of Lagonoy, Luzon, is a death blow to the schism led by Aglipay, the self-anointed, self-appointed archbishop of the so-called National Catholic church of the Philippine archipelago. This sect or schism was organized by a native priest, who was chaplain in chief of the insurgent army under Aguinaldo and who fell with the Spanish archbishop because of his participation in the rebellion. It was a "patriotic" movement, with more politics than piety, and has been gradually subsiding for more than a year and a half, as the "independencia" conspiracies have failed and the personal character of Aglipay has become known to his followers. He is a bright, superficial, plausible and ambitious young man, and his plan has been to organize a national church independent of the pope, with himself as the high priest. He even had the audacity to invite the Protestant clergy of the Philippines to join him, and a memorable conference was held one day at the headquarters of the American Bible Society at Manila. He proposed that Bishop Brent of the Episcopal church and the other Protestant pastors should join his movement, and persuade the American government to confiscate all of the Roman Catholic property, drive out all the Roman Catholic priests and found an independent church for the Philippines, of which they, the gentlemen present, should constitute the hierarchy and share the usufruct.

Volcano Helps Coffee Crop.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Colonel Willard P. Tisdell, who has been in charge of the American railway interests in Guatemala for many years, is now in Washington recuperating from a severe illness, but expects to return to Central America as soon as he is fully recovered. He reports that Guatemala is now very prosperous. The coffee crop this year is the largest ever gathered and there will be between 700,000 and 800,000 bags for export. The price is low, ranging from 8 to 15 cents a pound, according to quality, but that will pay a profit. As coffee is the chief staple, a good crop means as much to Guatemala as a large crop of cotton does to our southern states. The only other exports are hides, cabinet woods, and a little rubber. The coffee district suffered terribly from a volcanic eruption three years ago—at the same time that Mount Pelee in the island of Martinique exploded, but has fully recovered. Many square miles of coffee groves were buried in ashes from the volcano Santa Maria, but what was supposed to be a calamity has turned out to be a blessing, for volcanic ashes make the very best of fertilizers and have produced unusually large crops. The loss of life was enormous. Nobody will ever know how many Indians were killed by the eruption. Quetzaltenango, the second city in Guatemala was almost entirely destroyed. It suffered as much as San Francisco in proportion to its size and population, but is rapidly recovering and is being rebuilt upon an even better basis than before.

COUPLE WED.

Bride of 71 and Groom of 70 Bring
Together Large Family.

Sterling, Ill., Dec. 4.—A bride and groom whose combined ages are 141 years and whose mutual plights of troth bring 34 children into the same happy family are the features of a wedding here today which united William Evers and Mrs. Agnes Rivert. Mr. Evers is 70 years and the bride did not blush when she admitted to the license clerk yesterday that she is four times 17, with three years to spare. Mr. Evers and his bride are both residents of Manlius, Bureau county.

Soldiers Put Out Fire.

Vallajo, Cal., Dec. 4.—After a hard battle enlisted men and workmen last night extinguished a fire on Mare Island which threatened total destruction.

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A leading medical journal in answer to the question, "What is the best prescription to clean and purify the blood," prints in a recent issue the following: Fluid Extract of Dandelion one-half ounce, Compound Kargon one ounce, Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three ounces. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

A well known local druggist who is familiar with this prescription states that it is harmless, being composed entirely of vegetable ingredients which can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy.

When taken regularly there is no other known remedy that acts so thoroughly and promptly; cleans the blood of all impurities and nourishes the blood. In just a few days the skin begins to clear of sores, boils and pimples. It puts vigor and energy in to run-down, debilitated men and women. For many years Sarsaparilla alone has been considered a good blood medicine. But while it built up and made new blood, the impurities remained within and the good accomplished was only temporary. Sarsaparilla, however, when used in combination with Compound Kargon and Extract Dandelion works wonders. This combination puts the kidneys to work to filter and sift out the waste matter, uric acid and other impurities that cause disease. It makes new blood and relieves rheumatism and lame back and bladder troubles.

This prescription is better than the usual patent medicines, which are in the most part alcoholic concoctions. The ingredients cost but little. They may be procured from any good pharmacist and mixed at home. Every man and woman here should make some up and try it. It feels their system requires a good blood medicine and tonic.

The Kargon to clean the kidneys and vitalize them so they can clean the blood, Sarsaparilla to make new rich blood and Dandelion to tone the stomach, clean the liver and make it active and relieve constipation. Is the way the prescription acts and so mildly and gently that one does not consider they are taking a medicine.

WINS 4,800 CONVERTS IN YEAR.

Rev. Charles R. Scovill, of Chicago.
Makes Record as Evangelist.

Richmond, Ind., Dec. 4.—Rev. Charles Reign Scovill, of Chicago, an evangelist who for some months has been laboring in Indiana, and has made a most remarkable record the last year, having brought 4,800 persons into the church. At Anderson there were 1,261 converts and at Indianapolis about 1,400, while the others are divided among Connersville, Ind., New York City, Long Branch and San Bernardino, Cal.; Atchison, Kan.; Monroe, Wis., and Sullivan, Ill.

Mr. Scovill is now leading a revival at Indianapolis. He is intent on securing the erection of an institutional church there and has already raised several thousand dollars toward it.

INVESTORS TO GET \$250,000.

Securities Deposited by Defunct Com-
pany Given to Receiver.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 4.—Henry Bosworth, state treasurer, has turned over to J. C. Rogers, receiver of the Southern Mutual Investment company and the American Reserve Bond company, \$250,000 worth of securities which were deposited in the state treasury for the protection of the investors. The transfer was made on Wednesday last, but for some reason it was kept secret until today.

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Discovery Made at Formiae, Where
Roman Orator Was Assassinated.

Naples, Dec. 4.—What would appear to be a most important archaeological discovery has been made at Formiae, near which place Cicero was assassinated nearly twenty centuries ago. This discovery consists of remains which are thought to be the tomb of the great orator. They stand on a hill dominating both the Apian and Herculaneum ways.

Insane Man Threatens Harriman.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Brooks Mackall, 60 years old, a well known retired real estate man, was arrested at his home in this city late tonight because of threats he is alleged to have made against President E. H. Harriman and other officials of the Union Pacific railroad.

Frisco Has Bad Fire.

San Francisco, Dec. 4.—Fire which started in a temporary building in the down town district this morning caused the loss of \$100,000. Most of the property was well insured.

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